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end early as dance
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Polo!

MSU professor indicted for aggravated sexual assault

by Joan Petrocelli

Professor Arun Kumar, of the Information and Decision Sciences Department, was indicted by the Morris County Grand Jury for Aggravated Sexual Assault (first degree) and Endangering the Welfare of a Child (third degree) on November 1.

Kumar is accused of sexually penetrating a four year-old child on various dates between April 3, 1993 and February 6, 1994.

He was arrested in his hometown of Jefferson Township after an investigation of allegations was launched by the Morris County Prosecutor's Sex Crimes/Child Abuse Unit and Jefferson Township Police, said the Morris County Prosecutors Office.

Kumar, a native of India, claims that the accusations stem from racial hatred since he is the only resident of a minority race in his neighborhood.

"I am a victim of racism," Kumar said, "The neighborhood did this setup to try to evict me."

Kumar believes that the "setup" was motivated by money and began with the victim's father which he befriended when he moved to Jefferson Township in 1993. However, Kumar said that he was never asked for money nor did he ever discuss the sex charge with the victim's parent.

Two prominent Indian-American organizations have come to the defense of Kumar saying that he cannot be guilty because people of their nation-

ality "do not molest children". In addition Leaders of The Indo-American Association, based in Jersey City, and its national affiliate, Kashmir Solidarity USA, have threatened a nationwide strike by Indian Americans over the charges.

Kumar is currently a tenured assistant professor at Montclair State University and continues to teach classes. M. S. U. has not taken any action as a result of the accusations.

"I am a victim of racism. The neighbors did this setup to try to evict me," said Kumar.

In September of 1993, MSU suspended Coach John Blanton while an investigation was being conducted by the state Attorney General's office into allegations of sexual harassment.

Department of Information and Decision Sciences Chairperson, Dr. Alan Oppenheim, said that Kumar is innocent until proven guilty.

"As far as I'm concerned, there is no evidence to prove he has done anything wrong," Oppenheim said, "He is very well thought of."

Oppenheim added that he was not familiar with what happened.

Kumar held a press conference at his attorney's Verona offices on October 28. Allegations of widespread racial conspiracies dominated the conference.

Kumar presented a letter from the U.S. Department of Justice to the media that indicated the Federal Bureau of Investigation agreed to investigate his claims of infringements on his civil rights that took place during a 13-hour interrogation period that followed his arrest on February 16, 1994.

During the interrogation, Kumar claims that he was denied a lawyer, sleep, water and food and that he was also subjected to "psychological torture".

Kumar was incarcerated in the Morris County Correctional Facility until February 18, when he was released on \$50,000 bail.

Kumar and his supporters compared his case to those of a series of assaults by Jersey City youths on Indian-Americans deemed "dot busting" by law enforcement.

"This country is well-known for racial hatred," said Mono Sen, chairman of the Indo-American Association. Sen claims that Indians in Morris County are targets of "hostility" as the result of the jealousy of residents because of Indian-American's financial and social success in the United States.

If convicted of the charges, Kumar could face twenty years in state prison with a ten year period of parole ineligibility.



4-Walls publication delayed until Spring

by Greg MacSweeney

Four Walls, the student literary magazine, is in danger of not being printed this fall because of inadequate and faulty computer equipment, said Four Walls Editor-in-Chief Maria Tuccia.

The literary magazine may not print because of a faulty disk drive and a lack of a printer, said Tuccia.

"This situation has been known by Sal (Anderton, SGA president) since September," said Tuccia. "We have sent Sal and Rick (Leto, SGA Treasurer) letters since September and have been told it would be taken care of."

Anderton said he was unaware of the situation that Four Walls was in and that "no letter was ever sent to the SGA."

"There will be no problem getting them a printer," said Anderton.

Four Walls member Nora Zomera said, "Sal should have kept on top of things from the beginning. Instead of dumping things on Rick, Sal should have taken responsibility as SGA president and made sure

that his Class One organizations were equipped."

Anderton said that Leto tried for weeks and could not find a "BNC" cable that was needed to hook up the Four Walls computer to the printers in the SGA office.

Four Walls is a literary magazine that usually prints students poems, stories and art work every semester, said Tuccia.

"Now we have to apologize to all writers and artists for having to wait until the spring for the magazine to be published," said Gomera.

Gomera said that their computer does not have a spell check or a 3.5 inch disk drive that works and it is difficult to work on IBM because the designers can not see the entire page on the screen at one time.

"You can't see what the layout looks like on the screen. Sometimes it looks different on paper," said Gomera.

"We can't survive on this IBM unless it is a top of the line machine."

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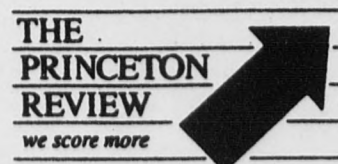
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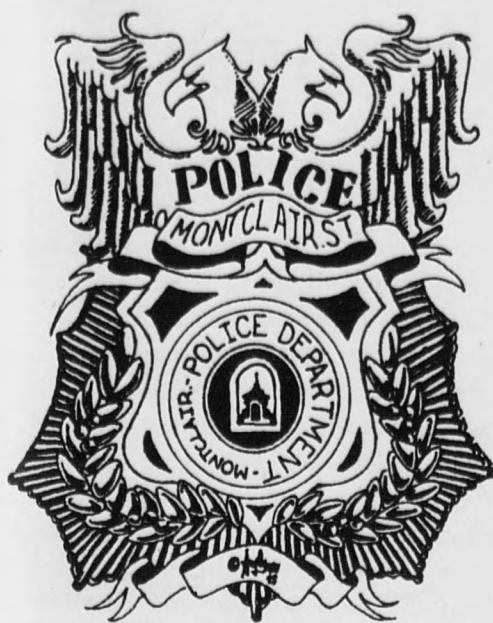
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Police News

compiled by Sheila Patnode

Auto Theft

Nov. 15: An '87 Nissan Maxima was stolen from lot 22. It was located on Nov. 23 in East Orange.

Nov. 17: An '84 Toyota Celica, containing a cutlery set valued at \$600, was stolen from lot 28.

Nov. 21: An '85 Volkswagon GTI was stolen from lot 9. It was recovered in Newark on Nov. 23.

Nov. 21: An '83 Toyota Celica was stolen from lot 23. It was recovered in East Orange.

Nov. 28: An '87 Nissan Maxima was stolen from lot 15.

Nov. 28: An '86 Toyota Cressida was stolen from lot 22.

Property Thefts

Nov. 15: Media Center reported a VCR stolen from a classroom in Chapin.

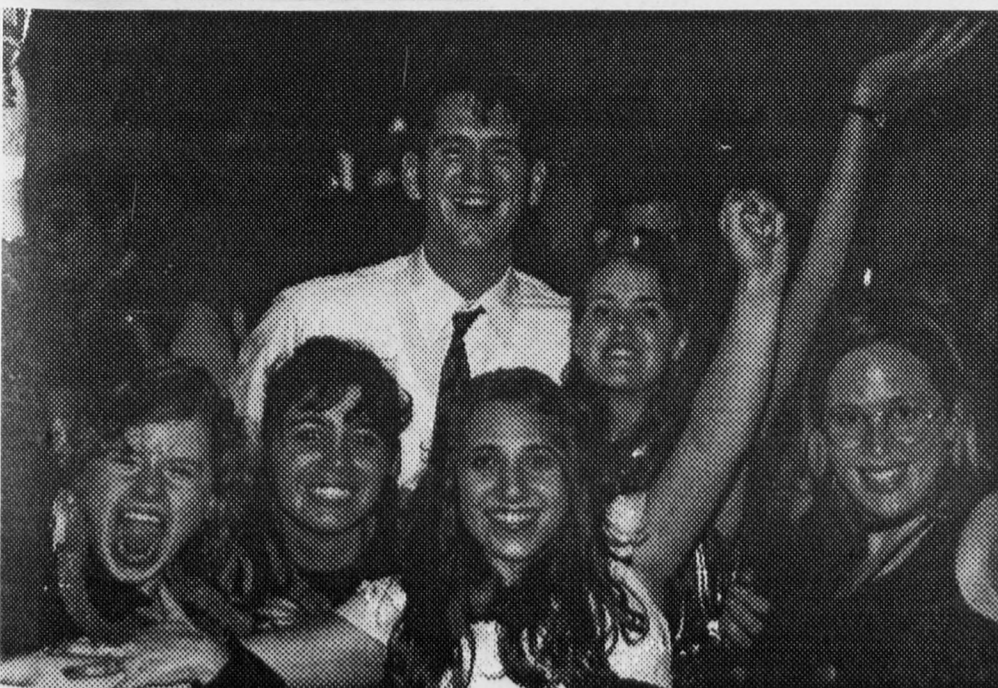
Nov. 16: A bookbag, containing a walkman and a dictionary, was stolen from a hallway in Calcia.

Nov. 21: A wallet was stolen from a purse left unattended in the library.

Nov. 21: Two male roommates from Blanton Hall reported the following items stolen from their room between 1 a.m. and 3:30 a.m.: jacket, ring, watch, work boots, earrings.

Nov. 22: Clothes were stolen from the washing machines on the fourth floor of Bohn Hall.

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Winter Ball ends early as MSU students take a midnight swim

by Dortaline Normal

The annual Winter Ball hosted by CLUB was cut short on Thursday, Nov. 17 when six people who may have been under the influence of alcohol, jumped into an indoor pool with their clothes on. The disturbance resulted in police officials escorting everybody out of the building.

The incident angered many of those attending. They blame Greek fraternity members for ruining the party. One of the men who jumped in the pool belonged to Tau Phi Beta and three others were members of Phi Alpha Psi (Senate).

Mike Costa, Greek council president, said that no action would be taken against those involved. He blames CLUB for holding the party next to a pool and not taking into consideration the risk factors involved in preparing for the party.

"How dare CLUB create a situation like this and try to blame what happened on individuals?" Costa said. "CLUB and all other individuals on campus who do not approve of the Greek system are obviously going to try to slant the story against the Greeks."

"Every time something happens that's meant in fun or in the spirit of youth, it gets twisted. This should not reflect on anybody in the Greek community."

Costa said no charges would be brought against those involved. Costa said, "As far as I saw it, they didn't hurt anybody. A few dances missed doesn't hurt anyone."

Greg MacSweeney, a member of the Greek community and editor-in-chief of the *Montclarion*, who was present at the event said that the incident "shows a lack of responsibility" on the part of those involved.

MacSweeney said that the sidewalk around the pool was narrow and brought the possibility of someone jumping in the pool to the attention of CLUB members.



CLUB responded by saying that the pool was off limits.

At yesterday's SGA meeting Costa asked that people stop "coming up to him with ridiculous accusations."

Costa said that six people approached

"Every time something happens that's meant to be fun or in the spirit of youth, it gets twisted," said Costa.

him after the ball and asked him if he was going to take any action against the organizations that jumped into the pool.

"I do not want to hear about it every time a person with (Greek) letters spits in a gutter," Costa said, "I will not listen to them anymore. I'm sick of it. I am not a policeman."

Costa refused to answer any questions from anyone at the meeting and left the room immediately after he was done speaking.

He returned only briefly to address something that one of the legislator's had said but quickly left the room.

"I will only deal with serious issues affecting the campus community," Costa said.

After the response that he has received from the judicial court and the problems at the Winter Ball, Costa stated that he no longer has any plans to run for SGA president.

SGA President Sal Anderton refused to comment on the situation.

Melissa Stelnasik, vice president of CLUB and co-chair of special affairs for the Winter Ball strongly disagrees with Costa.

"We lost money on this. It's not just a matter of dances missed. It's a matter of money," Stelnasik said.

She said that everything was paid for up to 1 a.m. and that as far as the location of the party was concerned, she was "against having it in a room with a pool."

The former Chairperson of Special Affairs of the Winter Ball Gary Doxy had already signed the contract with the hotel.

"I was very upset that this happened," Doxy said. "They were adults. They had no respect for the university or the hotel. It made us look bad as a school and the hotel will not have us back for anything."

Onix Noa, club treasurer and SGA legislator said "Mike Costa should realize that adults should not jump into a pool during a dinner formal. To stipulate that CLUB is responsible, is to clear those individuals who decided to break the rules of responsibility."

"Mike Costa is more interested in getting votes for next year's SGA election than he is in acknowledging the fact that somebody might have drowned," said Noa.



MSU News Briefs

by Jeff Zarillo and Dortaline Normal

SGA happenings

Mike Costa, Greek Council President verbally lashed out at members of the Student Government Association during their weekly meeting last night.

Costa claimed that since Delta Kappa Psi was found guilty of "conduct unbecoming of a Greek organization" last month after the Confederate flag issue, he has received many ridiculous claims of other such "conduct."

Costa said six people came up to him at the Winter Ball two weeks ago and claimed because some members of other Greek organizations were "jumping into a water pool at the ball. Costa said he kept being asked, "Isn't that conduct unbecoming?"

"I don't want to hear about every time a person with (Greek) letters spits in a gutter," Costa said. He added, "I will not listen to them anymore, I'm sick of it."

Costa, who would not recognize any questions from the SGA legislators, said, "I will only deal with serious issues affecting the campus community."

In other SGA news the MSU Ski Team, which is not an organization under the SGA, recieved \$850 for there registration fees for the upcoming season. The bill passed 25-5-3.

SGA Legislator Jane Locke was appointed CORE representative for the SGA. CORE is the representative body for Class I organizations.

The Arab Student Organization recieved \$387 for an upcoming film festival. The money will be used for refreshments and movie and VCR rental. ASO is an organization under the SGA.

Ruiz case sent to grand jury

Neil Ruiz, a former MSU student accused of sexual assault, has been denied acceptance into the Pretrial Intervention Program (P.I.P.).

The case was turned over to a grand jury on Monday, Nov. 28 in a hearing held in the Passaic County Court House before Judge Joseph F. Conte.

If indicted by the grand jury Ruiz will stand trial and criminal charges will brought against him. If acquitted, the charges will be dropped.

Dean of Students Helen Matusow- Ayres said that Ruiz's status with the campus was that of Persona Non Grata, which means that he is not allowed to attend shool. The decision was made based on the outcome of Monday's hearing. The school plans to hold formal disciplinary hearings to determine sanctions against Ruiz if he ever decided to come back to MSU.

AT&T ACUS might have some advantages

by Joe Finkleday

Many students have claimed that they are being charged unfair rates for the calls they make from their dorm rooms, with MSU's AT&T ACUS service. Although they feel this way about the phone system through AT&T, there are many benefits students have received through this service.

When MSU first switched to ACUS in 1991, a monthly service charge of \$7 was billed to each student's account, for all local and internal calls. After that first semester, the fee was dropped because students that didn't make any local calls were being charged the same amount as students that did.

In today's system, ACUS charges students for all calls, other than the ones made to on campus extensions. The students aren't charged a monthly fee and receive many other benefits that weren't available in the past. There is no line or activation fee and no deposit

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The computer problem goes back to the Spring of 1993 when 4 Walls was supposed to receive a computer when the rest of Class One organizations did. They did not because former SGA President Gouri Sadwani told former Four Walls Editor-in-Chief John Paul Baez that their computer "had been dropped and broken," said Tuccia.

In the fall of 1993 former SGA

is needed for the phone in the dorm room. Both of these were charged to students in the past.

Other free services include automatic service in the fall, individual billing, security from unauthorized toll use on their phone, ability to use their code from any room on campus, and the option to send bills to campus or home. Also, there is a 40 percent discounted long distance rate on calls, from what they would pay at a pay phone.

One of the reasons MSU switched to ACUS was for a better calling system for the students. Currently, ACUS is used by 374 schools across the United States and several in New Jersey.

Many students do not realize that the school makes no profit from the phone system. Ed Buscavage from MSU's Telecommunications Department said, "The policy of the school is that no profit shall be made on the phone system."

Pesident James "Appetite" Cotter said he would provide a computer before October but Four Walls did not receive one until Spring 1994, Tuzzia said.

A new IBM was installed but never hooked up to the printer in the SGA office, Tuzzia said.

"James (Heneghan, SGA treasurer in 1993 would come and get the disk from our office and print the publication in the SGA office," said Tuzzia.

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160,000 NJ children have no health care

by Anne Johansen

More than 160,000 children in New Jersey have no access to health care, said Ciro Scalera, executive director of the Association for Children of New Jersey, during a lecture on Nov. 22.

Scalera said the government is not doing enough to help and that much of the responsibility for helping children falls on non-profit organizations like the ACNJ.

"We try to make a difference for kids," Scalera said.

The ACNJ recently issued a "Kids Count" report after tracking data on the quality of life of New Jersey children for the past four years.

Scalera said the results were disturbing. Over 300,000 children in New Jersey live at or below the poverty level. Scalera said that good and accurate data is important to helping children.

"We published the report so that no one has any allusions or doubts," Scalera said.

On Nov. 18 the ACNJ held a conference in Newark on health care access for children. In addition to the children with no access to health care, approximately 350,000 New Jersey children are on Medicaid, which is the state health care program for the poor.

Scalera said that while many of the parents in the program have jobs, their

insurance coverage - if they have any - does not cover their children's needs.

Many doctors are reluctant to treat Medicaid patients because the physicians receive only about \$15 back from the state for an average office visit, Scalera said.

Scalera said that the child advocacy is moving away from public policy toward local communities.

Juvenile delinquency is also plaguing New Jersey's children. To help with the problems facing New Jersey's children, Scalera said that parents should get involved with their local communities by attending school board meetings and joining the PTA.

Programs should also be developed in communities so that there is something constructive for children to do in their towns.

Many people do not realize that their communities offer little or no recreational opportunities for children, Scalera said.

Citizens can also play a role in day care. Parents are doing a poor job of parenting their children, Scalera said, and children are left in undesirable care arrangements.

Scalera said that strengthening the New Jersey juvenile justice system is important, but that prevention and early intervention is even more important for juvenile delinquents before they become adult offenders.

Amoroso's goal is to take away disadvantages for MSU disabled students

by John M. DeWitt

Joe Amoroso, student coordinator of Disabled Student Services, wants MSU's students to know that the campus can be very accommodating to people with physical disadvantages.

The reason for Amoroso's post is to make it easier for MSU's disabled students to get the provisions necessary for a quality education.

"I'm here to take away whatever disadvantages are possible." He knows first hand how difficult things can be. Amoroso, who uses either a wheelchair or crutches for mobility, sometimes formed his schedule around the accessibility of each classroom before he knew of provisions "that the administration is more than willing to make." Some of MSU's older buildings, like Russ Hall, are not practical for use by people with physical disadvantages. But according to Amoroso, "By request, classes can be moved to an assessable building."

Amoroso has found the administration, particularly Dr. Lee Wilcox, vice-president for institutional advancement and campus life, and Dr. Carl Snipes, executive assistant to the vice-president, extremely helpful.

"Every single person I've dealt with has been ready to go the extra yard," Amoroso said. For students who may need special medical assistance during school hours, "We've got the health

center in tune with what we're doing. They are more than eager to help in any way."

Amoroso also sees his job as an outreach program to make disabled students feel that the university is taking the initiative in attending to their needs.

"I can't tell you how good it feels when somebody calls and asks what support you need." He also invites students to call him and find out if there are any problems he can help resolve.

"I'm proud of the fact that provisions are made on an individual basis," Amoroso said.

Amoroso believes that disabled students may not apply aggressively to MSU because the policy is not expressed prominently in admission literature.

"To a student coming out of high school, that's an important thing - can I get around the campus? I was told that all I had to do was ask." The lack of an explicit policy may deter some students from applying in the first place. To address this problem, he's working on a supplement to the student handbook and admissions packet that will make incoming and current students aware of the university policy and the functions of his office.

Interested students can contact Joe Amoroso at extension X7609. "I can't tell anyone that we're perfect, but we're making every effort."

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Nov. 23: A backpack was stolen from Richardson Hall.

Nov. 30: The window on the front door of the Montclaron office was broken.

Nov. 23: Professor reported thefts, which started in early November, from the Fine Arts Building. The thefts included two books, three brushes, three yards of felt, nine jars of dye and a table loom.

Phone Scam

Nov. 29: A female agreed to meet a mysterious phone caller who she thought was the friend of a friend. She was told she would be given \$250 to interview the person. She met the person, got into his car and they drove to the parking lot of Six Brothers Diner. He proceeded to masturbate in front of her and then drove her back to the dorms.

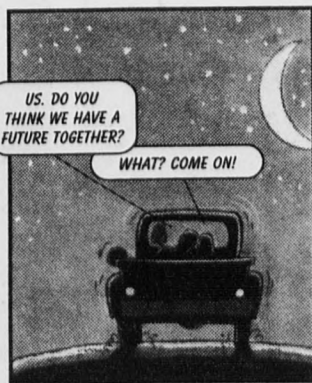
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MSU selected to pioneer teacher education

by Kathryn Neidhardt

MSU is one of seven schools selected nationwide to pioneer teacher education by the National Education Association's Center for Innovation, located in Washington, D.C.

"Our teacher education program can come to be recognized as a national leader," said Robert Pines, director of the teacher education program.

"The evidence is our membership in this prestigious network of colleges and

universities engaged in systematic restructuring and renewal of their prospective teacher programs," he said.

MSU will be part of a five-year collaboration electronically linking six other higher education institutions with NEA's National Center for Innovation to learn from each other how best to prepare the country's future teachers.

The goal is an ongoing dialogue with those who have begun restructuring their teacher training programs and those

with promising practices to offer as models for replication, eliminating the trial and error that accompanies any change process, said Charles T. Williams, director, NCI Teacher Education Initiative.

Education majors will eventually see some revisions in the department's admission process, a more progressive curriculum, some innovations inspired by NEA guidelines and an extension in their field experience time as the pro-

gram integrates into this coordinated effort. Critical thinking will continue to be a major theme of the university's Teacher Education Program.

Acceptance into this program, as well as the National Accreditation of Teacher Education Program, is trying to be as forward looking as possible, he added.

The other six institutions selected for the five-year restructuring plan are: the University of Southern Maine, Memphis State University, the University of South Carolina, the University of Wyoming, George Mason University and Texas A&M.

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A brief history of judicial court

by Tracy Smith

During the 1993-94 school year, four Greek organizations were brought before judicial courts to face various violations, said Attorney General for the SGA Paola Ciappina.

Phi Alpha Psi was found guilty of not turning in a pledge bill of rights, as was Delta Chi.

Sigma Phi Rho was found guilty of having three unexcused absences from the Greek Council.

Tau Phi Beta was found not guilty of "conduct unbecoming the Greek community," which is the same charge brought against Delta Kappa Psi in the current confederate flag controversy.

Ciappina said that juries for each case must consist of 20 Greek Council representatives and 15 SGA legislators. Names of potential jurors representing several organizations are put into a hat and then chosen. Each side in a case can reject three potential jurors without cause, and two with cause. These jurors are then "struck" from a jury.

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STUDENT CONCERNS

Where can I "work out" on campus?

There isn't much on this lush campus we know as Montclair State University. Any of you who have spent a weekend night on this campus would have no problem attesting to that.

But with nothing to do and a bunch of nervous energy built up inside of you, there would be nothing like a good workout to burn off some of that always unwanted fat. There are gyms off-campus. However, they are expensive and are also inconvenient if you are lacking transportation.

Panzer Gym, a place you might have thought to be an option, is not. Although you may not have gone there because of all of the athletes that are already bigger than you are, you would not be able to go. That is because it is specifically for athletes. Besides, many would find it intimidating to lift weights in front of people that would have you think you are smaller than their bicep.

But don't fret, yet, people. Help is on this campus and the best part about it is it's free! There is a place on campus that you can go to get a workout and keep yourself in shape.

It is the MSU fieldhouse. And where is that, you might ask? It is located right by the shuttle bus stop all the way down by the hill some of you come up to on the way to campus. You know, the one many of you take the shuttle bus from everyday because you are too lazy to walk. Or you think it is too far a distance to walk. Whatever.

There are no restrictions to working out at the fieldhouse. In fact, all you need is an MSU identification card. With that, you can be on your way to toning your muscles and developing muscles that you would be shocked to know you have on nautilus and step machines, as well as free weights.

After all, you spend money on your student fees each semester so that you can have rights such as these. Since the fieldhouse received \$20,000 in new equipment, it would be worth your while to test out some of the equipment you had a hand in paying for. BF

Do you have a question you just can't find the answer to? We can help!

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LASO, Greeks, Class I's celebrate Latino Month

by Gary-Anthony Lawson

The month of November 1994 witnessed an unprecedented celebration of the Latin American contribution to the community at large and here at MSU. The celebrations were a collaboration between the Latin American Student Organization (LASO) and some of the other prominent Greek and Class One organizations on campus. With a budget of \$10,000 and an eleven member committee, Latin Month Chairperson, Ms. Sandra Sanjuanelo marshalled seven organizations to produce 171 hours of activities.

The month began with the Opening/Alumni banquet (October 31) to honor those who have served with LASO over the past 24 years. The guest speaker, Dr. Sandra Organization of Students for African Unity (OSAU) advisor and Psychology Department member encouraged the audience not to live up to the negative stereotypes that have been used to stigmatize Latin American people, but to blaze their own trail and become positive role models. The flag raising ceremony on November 1 officially commenced the celebrations which witnessed five parties, three conferences, three workshops, poetry reading, art exhibit, a pageant and the closing ceremony.

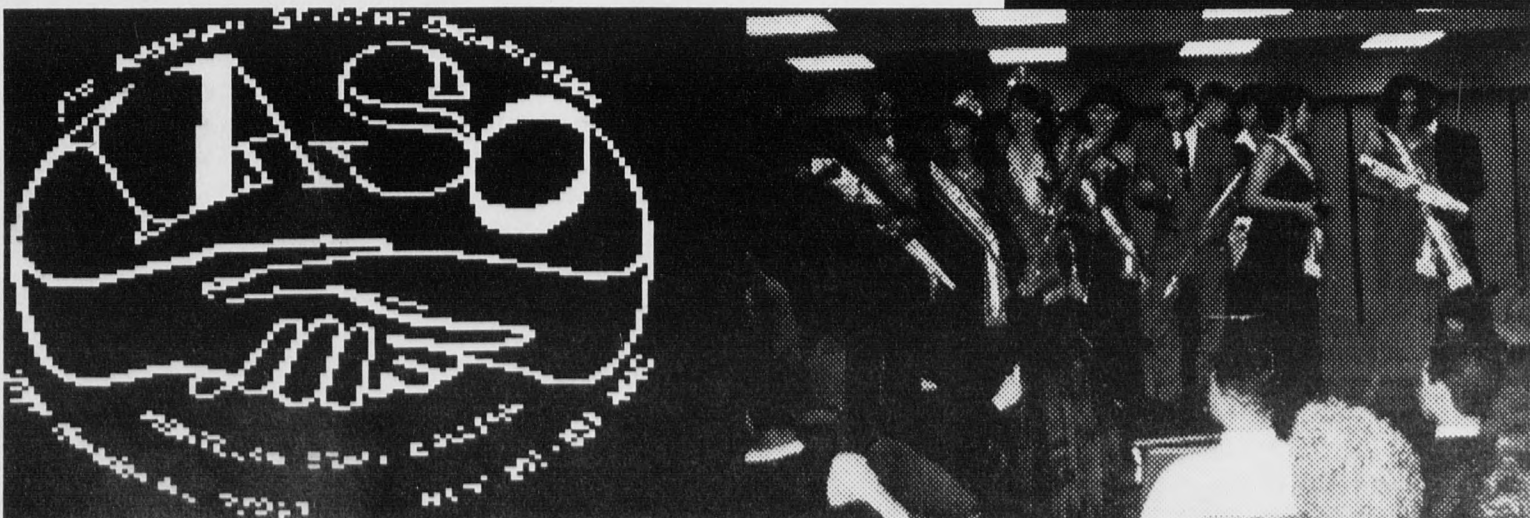
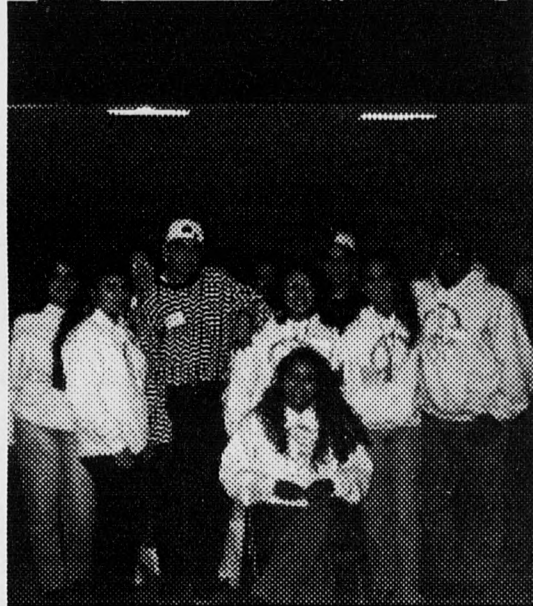
The parties which were held in the Rat on Wednesday nights and co-sponsored with the Greek family of AIX, ΣΨΦ, ΛΘΦ, ΜΞΨ and ΛΞΥ witnessed good attendance from the school community and other colleges. As good as these parties were, they were but a taste of what was to come. On Friday, November 18, Class One Concerts and LASO co-sponsored the party of all parties, hosting two bands, El Canario and La Banda Loca; attendance was almost 300. The workshops included Salsa and Merengue dancing and Santeria. The Santeria workshop highlighted the beliefs of this religion, which blends Catholicism with West African spiritualism, while the Salsa and Merengue workshops introduced non-Latinos to the soulful rhythms of Latin music.

In the arts area, LASO hosted four poets under the auspices of Dr. Joan Englebert. While Carlos Ortiz's art exhibit, "Latin Rhythms in Motion" served to highlight the richness of the varied talent of our Latin American family at MSU.

The conferences included the Hispanic Association of Higher Education (HAHE) symposium, Latin Studies and Minorities in Politics conference. LASO hosted the Latin Studies conference on November 4, which was the culmination of the work of Dr. Valentin Soto and others to have a Latin Studies minor on campus, beginning in the fall 1995. The HAHE symposium was attended by eleven members, one of whom (Sandy Garcia) was a workshop coordinator; and as was expected, LASO brought honor to MSU through the eloquence and participation of its members. While the Minorities in Politics conference, hosted by the Hispanic Education Committee, chaired by Ms. Ann Marquez, presented the achievements of minorities who are currently governing this country.

On November 15, sixteen of MSU's brightest and beautiful members entered the Mr. and Ms. Latino Pageant. All were winners but Alice Henad (Ms. Latina) and Gary-Anthony Lawson (Mr. Latino) were chosen to represent LASO. The *coup de grace* of the month's activities was LASO's second place finish in the College Bowl. Our team, a joint LASO-SGA alliance, was represented by Mike Roessner, Ken Gerry, Sandy Garcia, Gary-Anthony (Sandy) Lawson and George Calle.

All in all, this month was a success for LASO. As they move towards another 24 years they invite all to come feel the hysteria.



No more lines: phone-in registration arrives at MSU

by Michael Lampe

Your days of waiting on line are over, or at least they're coming to an end. Whether it's at the post office, the Department of Motor Vehicles, or while registering at MSU, automation is taking over. It's just one way that technology is subtly transforming your life. And things may never be the same.

Starting next spring, students at MSU will no longer have to stand on line to register for courses. A new phone-in registration system will be in place that will allow students to sign up for classes from a remote location, like Hawaii, or home, for the less adventurous.

According to the Registrar, Denise DeBlasio, the system will handle all the functions of the registration process. Students may use the system to add or drop classes or get an audio confirmation of their schedule. And, unlike the current system, once students make their schedules, they may immediately call back and make any needed changes; and they may continue to do so until the start of classes.

Gone will be the hassles of hanging around the Student Center for hours on end, anxiously anticipating the rejection that awaits. Gone will be the need to skip midterms to assure placement in a section. Gone will be the long drives to campus for out of state residents who, until now, had to come to campus to

change their schedules. And gone will be the personal assistance from the registrar's staff who has always been helpful but never been appreciated.

To register, students will receive information in the mail that will provide a phone number, personal identification number, and a "priority time" - the earliest permissible time at which the student may register, as determined by class standing. At any point after the indicated time, students may call into and use the system. However, students attempting to schedule before their priority time will be disconnected and may be locked out of the system until all other students are scheduled. "We purchased 48 lines - twice the number recommended for an institution the size of Montclair... But if 12,000 students call in at once, the lines will be congested... We hope to avoid this by thoroughly educating the students in the use of the system," says DeBlasio, who oversaw the implementation of the system.

It works like this. You dial your phone. When connected, the system asks for your Social Security number. It then checks this number against those that are scheduled for that time or earlier. If the number checks out, you move to step two, if the number is ineligible you go directly to jail. Do not pass go. Do not collect \$200.

Next, enter the password shown on

your registration card. Once in the system students should change the password to add security; this insures people like me don't find out your identification numbers and register you for Basket Weaving 101.

Once you pass the security part of the test you move on to the practical exam, the actual registering of courses. The new course catalog will have code numbers next to the course titles. Punch in the number next to the course and you're in. It's just like using VCR Plus™. The system will alert you to any course conflicts and keep you out of such situations. If a section is filled you will be asked to choose an alternate section or a different course. It's a pretty straightforward system (which guarantees there will be plenty of problems).

One obvious advantage is increased access to the system. Unlike current registration proceedings, which run three days a week during business hours, phone-in will be open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. and during the day on weekends.

The push for phone-in registration has been felt for sometime. Most large Universities have been using similar systems for several years. MSU's dedication to adapting such a system was demonstrated last year with the hiring of Vice President for Student Development and Campus

Life, Lee Wilcox. Wilcox had previously overseen the successful implementation of such a system at another institution. And since this has been dubbed the "Year of the Student" by President Reid, it seems appropriate to now begin the move towards a friendlier institution.

But the enthusiasm for the new system isn't without reservation. Student Government Association President Sal Anderton has expressed concern that the system will lead students through an impersonal digital maze. "I don't want students calling the school and getting an electronic facade." SGA legislator, Onix Noa, also expressed a concern that the new system will cause more problems than it will solve. "I can see the system collapsing at the peak of registration and screwing everything up."

But while the phone-in registration system may seem like a breakthrough in accessibility for MSU students, it is a small example of what technology, and the future may hold. We've all seen the AT&T commercial. "Have you ever borrowed a book from thousands of miles away? Have you ever attended classes halfway around the world? You will." And MSU might be the university to bring it to you.

Someday, all students will be able to access the University's computer system

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LPH brings cheer to the Thanksgiving holiday

by Susan Lynn Martin

They came. They sang. They helped raise money for a good cause. After all, Thanksgiving is just around the corner. Students realized that they had a great deal to be thankful for, but they cared enough about the less fortunate in our society and chose to sing for charity.

The Zeta Chapter of Lambda Pi Eta, the national communication honor society, proudly hosted its first ever Karaoke Charity Event on Thursday, November 10 in the Rat.

Participants provided either a one dollar donation, a canned good, or a non-perishable food item to the Zeta Chapter, who donated the collected items to the Montclair Human Needs Ministry Food Pantry, of 92 Greenwood Avenue in Montclair.

Students enjoyed an evening of fun and entertainment by their peers. "Ebony and Ivory," "Ob-La-Di-Ob-La-Da," "That's What Friends are For," and "Wild Thing," are just a sample of the songs performed during Karaoke Night.

Lambda Pi Eta consists of students from MSU's Department of Broadcasting, Speech Communication, Dance and Theater (BSCDT) within the Speech Communication Division.

Lambda Pi Eta Promotions Officer

and event coordinator, Michael Piperno said, "It was definitely a success and I'd like to thank everyone who came out to support our cause."

Karaoke Night raised \$58 and a variety of canned goods and non-perishable food items. Lambda Pi Eta is currently circulating collection envelopes through all Communication Studies classes within the Department of BSCDT, to allow those unable to attend Karaoke Night to make a donation.

Lambda Pi Eta Treasurer Laura Cassidy said, "I was very impressed with the amount of people who stopped by and gave a money donation but didn't attend the event."

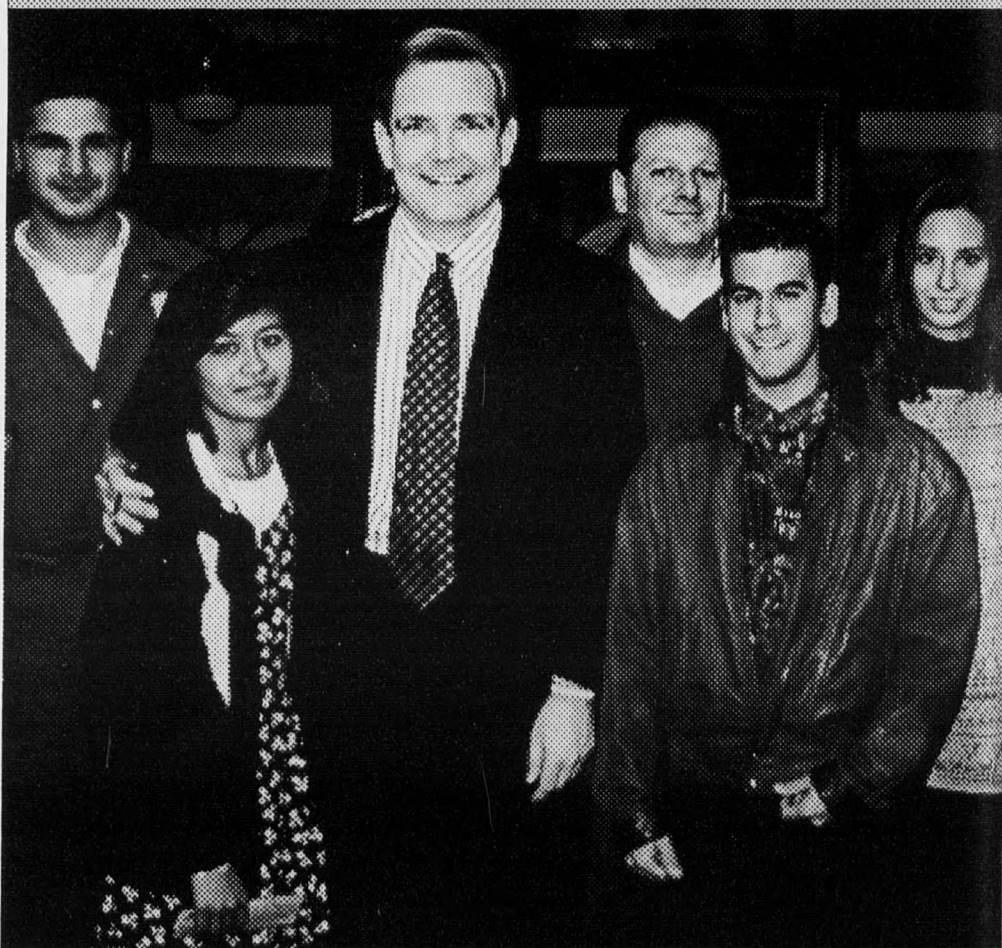
"Hopefully all CommStudies majors will realize the importance of giving back to the community and the less fortunate. This really is a good cause and I'm proud to be part of the holiday food drive," said Lambda Pi Eta Secretary Susan Martin.

Anyone interested in making either a food donation or a monetary donation to the Human Needs Food Pantry, should please contact Susan Martin at (201) 338-4066 or call Human Needs at (201) 746-4669.

Karaoke is described as an opportunity

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Phi Chi Beta Goes to Talk Show



On Nov. 10, Phi Chi Beta, the professional co-ed business fraternity, went to see the newest talk show in New York City: Gordon Elliot. The topic of discussion on the show was "Confronting your childhood bullies." Gordon was a great host who kept up the party atmosphere during the entire show. One member, Frank Mongioli, said, "Gordon was excellent. We all had fun."

CAMPUS CALENDAR

TONIGHT

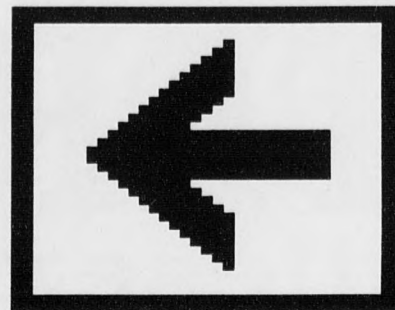
WORLD A.I.D.S. DAY
All Day: Distribution of Red Ribbons and literature, Student Center Quad and Building "B" lobby.
12:00 p.m. "The Quilt: See it and Understand It", a 12X12 panel from "The NAMES Project" A.I.D.S. memorial quilt will be on display, Building "B" Room 178.
7:00 p.m. Memorial Candlelight Vigil, Blanton Quad.
(This is a sampling of events, check flyers on campus for more information.)

FRIDAY

6:00 p.m. "Background Noise" with DJ Nik Allen on WMSC, 101.5 FM.
8:00 p.m. THEATER: Mainstage Theater Series presents "The Miracle Worker" by William Gibson, through December 3rd with matinees on December 4 and 9, \$9 standard, \$7 faculty, staff, alumni and senior citizens, \$4.50 for students with valid I.D.; Call the Box Office at 5112 for details.

SATURDAY

10:00 a.m. CLEP Workshop: Mathematics, third of three parts, College Hall Room 304A, Call 4431 for details.
8:00 p.m. THEATER: "The Miracle Worker", see FRIDAY for details.



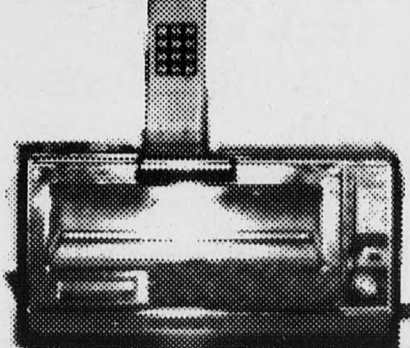
SUNDAY

11:00 a.m. Mass: "B" Building, Faculty Lounge.
6:30 p.m. Mass: Newman Center.



MONDAY

3:30 p.m. Women's Student Organization Meeting, Student Center Room 422.
9:00 p.m. Brian Jude and Jill Knapp host guest artists Passionate Grace and Fire from the "Cellular Toaster" on WMSC 101.5 FM.



TUESDAY

6:00 p.m. DJ Kathy Dillon spins Northern New Jersey's Best New Music on WMSC, 101.5 FM.
8:00 p.m. DANCE: Works-a-Foot '94, choreographed by Montclair State University faculty, students, alumni, and guest artists Shapiro and Smith, Nicholas Rodriguez and Sara Hook, through December 7, Life Hall Dance Studio, Free, for more information call Lori Katterhenry at 7080

WEDNESDAY

4:00 p.m. FILM: "Schindler's List", sponsored by Phi Alpha Theta and the Jewish Student Union, Free, panel discussion follows, "B" Building Brantl Lecture Hall.
6:00 p.m. Women's Basketball: MSU vs. Jersey City State, Panzer Gym.
8:00 p.m. Men's Basketball: MSU vs. Jersey City State, Panzer Gym.

NEXT WEEK

ART FORUM LECTURE:
3:00 p.m. Art critic and historian Linda Norden will present a lecture on artist Cy Twombly, Free, Calcia Auditorium, Call Pat Ley at 7295 for more details.
5:00 p.m. Arab Student Organization Culture Film Festival, Free pizza and refreshments, call 661-3155 or 655-7728.
8:00 p.m. Public Telescope Night, Richardson Hall, Call 7266 for more details.

Happenings

ΣΑΙ: Bagel Sale Every Monday, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., McEachern Music Hall.

ΦΕΒ: Snapple Sale every Monday, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., Partridge Hall.

ΔΕΑ: Selling T-Shirts celebrating "Generation Ω", white with either red, blue, green, or purple print: \$10.

ΛΟΦ: Selling raffle tickets for any style Greek Jacket, \$1.00

ΑΩ: Sponsoring Company B's on Tuesday nights.

ΔΚΨ & ΣΔΦ: Sponsoring Casey's on Wednesday Night

ΨΣΦ: Clothes Drive for the needy, beginning November 1.

ΑΧΡ: Selling custom made hats, \$13.00

Amnesty International: Meeting Friday, 12 p.m. - 2 p.m., Student Center Room 408.

ΤΚΕ: Sponsoring the Verona Inn on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

ΤΦΒ: Selling Academic Advice in the Student Center, 25 cents.

ΤΦΒ: Mixer with themselves for the rest of the semester.

ΘΚΧ & ΤΚΕ: Sponsoring Bam Bam's on Wednesday Nights.

ΘΚΧ: Collecting toys for their annual Holiday Toy Drive.

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Religious Notes

A thankful and cheerful heart this season

by Reverend Dr. Audrey Leaf

"The worship most acceptable to God, comes from a thankful and cheerful heart." - Plutarch

Thanksgiving is a wonderful day that strikes each differently. For the children it is a holiday, the first real holiday since the beginning of school in the fall. For the adults it is also a day off, but of a special kind: a day of near total relaxation - unless you happen to be the cook! There will be family gatherings to warm the hearts, and jammed airline schedules as half the population goes to visit the other half. The mayhem on the highways will be a sobering experience when we read about it on the front pages of the Monday papers.

Of one thing we may be certain: the day will come and go without much giving of thanks. In general we are not a thankful people. We have forgotten how to give thanks and we are not sure for what we are to be thankful. We are

largely removed from the Pilgrim experience.

It was to call attention to this need to be grateful for our many blessings that The Campus Ministry Council planned the Eighth Annual Thanksgiving Interfaith Celebration of Word, Music, Song and Prayer which was held on Tuesday, Nov. 22 in Ballroom A of the Student Center.

A campus wide food collection was held as in previous years. This year's celebration proved to be most successful! The program included much student talent: Sean Woo Shi provided the musical background and accompaniment. Clara Cheung offered prayers in Cantonese. Joshua Nowack gave his prayer in Hebrew. Pastor Hendor Rodriguez led a litany in Spanish. Raneé Campsano led in Italian, Carly Kennedy led in German. Heather Shaw sang the selection "In Heaven's Eye." Susan Vander Whiel helped to inspire the worship through interpretive dance. Cindy Creathorne read

scripture. Jodi Bloch gave the benediction. Father Art Humphrey led in the dedication of the food which was collected for M.E.N.D. (Meeting Emergency Needs with Dignity) serving Essex County. Toby Feller for Jewish Student Union and Rev. Dr. Audrey Leaf for Montclair Protestant Foundation also participated.

One reason that we seem to be removed from the original Pilgrim experience is that we no longer feel dependent on nature. We are more afraid of losing what we have than we are of not obtaining what we need. Our problem is that of abundance. The Pilgrims realized that they were completely dependent on nature; their problems were those of scarcity and uncertainty, indeed of survival! So too when Israel was in the wilderness, they never knew a day of peace and contentment. Their life was a constant battle with a land that could either sustain them or destroy them.

Our early forbearers knew a hostile environment that we have long since forgotten. They had very little for which to be thankful, from our vantage point; for them giving thanks was a spiritual event!

We are called to give thanks for the fullness of life, for both the good and the bad - and for the One who shares it with us. That is why the Pilgrims rejoiced mightily in the midst of so much struggle and suffering. It is also the ethos from which our own Thanksgiving Day has come. The first modern day of celebration of Thanksgiving was held in 1863 while Abraham Lincoln was president; at the time the War between the States was going badly.

"At the center of life is something else besides myself." When we are in touch with that truth, the giving of thanks will be a spontaneous activity that is like second nature to us.

Religious Notes is currently written by members of the Campus Ministry Council and does not reflect the opinion of the **MONTCLARION**.

If your religion is not represented, you are welcome to submit articles about your religion.

Egg Donors Are Needed

The Diamond Institute is Looking For A Few Very Special Women.

In the past few years a process called "Donor Egg" has made the miracle of pregnancy and having a much wanted baby possible for thousands of couples who were formerly considered "infertile". The procedure involves taking an egg from a female donor, fertilizing it "in vitro" (out of the body) with sperm taken from the husband, and implanting the resulting embryo into the uterus of the woman trying to become pregnant. We are seeking women of all ethnic & racial backgrounds between the ages of 20 to 34.

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WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES 1994-95

Applications and Nomination forms are now available for students with a minimum GPA of 2.75, plus 90 earned credits and can be obtained at the following locations:

Student Activities—Student Center, Room 400
Academic Advising Center—Annex E
SGA—Student Center Annex, Room 103
Residence Life Office—Bohn Hall
EOF Office—College Hall, Room 304



The filing deadline is Friday, December 9, 1994 12:30 PM
For further information, please call Willie Worley at 655-7609



FOOD FOCUS



nutrition information you can use

Cafe gets hip to the Health Conscious

Imagine being able to make your own stuffed baked potato with such toppings as vegetarian chili, broccoli and cheese and fat free sour cream. To be able to buy fresh squeezed vegetable juice or purchase a banana and strawberry fruit shake for a nutritious pick me up. Does it sound like you're at a spa? Believe it or not it's coming right here to MSU's cafeteria in the student center. The mastermind behind this project is Victor Korobka, director of cash operations for Aldan Dining. In cooperation with the nutrition department, Victor and his chef Paul Bevacqua are working on menus to meet the needs of all the students here on campus, including weight watchers, vegetarians and health conscious.

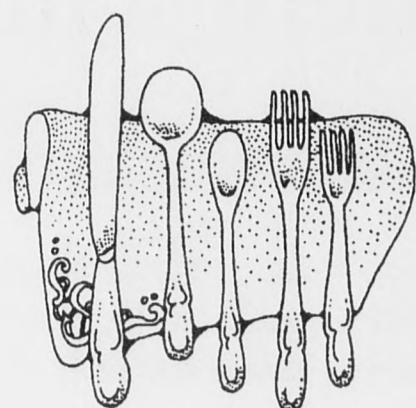
Besides providing innovative healthy options for those of us who are tired of bagels, burgers and pizza, another one of this project's goals is to herald the way for teamwork. In the past, he notes, there has been a lack of communication between the food service and the various departments here on campus. Victor is looking for input from the campus community as a whole. Not only is he looking for ideas and recipes from the nutrition department but also from the students themselves. Look for the surveys

located in the cafeteria and contribute to the formulation of this new health center appropriately entitled *Tune into Good Health*.

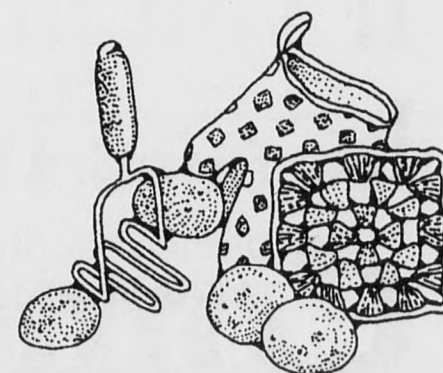
Why? I asked him. How come you decided to dedicate a whole new section of the cafeteria to healthy choices? He replied it is food service's goal to meet the needs of all the students, whether that includes tofu or burgers, a formal meal or an all you can eat buffet. "The more people I can help, the better for everyone involved", and we might add healthier. Being aware of eating healthy himself, Victor recognizes that people are more conscientious these days concerning their food choices. More people are aware that eating a low fat diet while increasing their intake of fruits and vegetables to 5 a day, contributes to lowering their risk of such diseases as cardiovascular disease, cancer and high blood pressure.

We applaud Victor Korobka, Paul Bevacqua and all the concerned nutritionists in the Home Economics department who have supported and contributed to this exciting project. Food service looks forward to receiving your input so fill out those yellow surveys and get what you want on the menu.

Tune into Good Health



Food Service, in cooperation with the nutrition department, is looking for healthy recipes and ideas for their upcoming "Tune into Good Health" stations. If you want to see some of your favorite low-fat foods included in this new enterprise, then let them know about your ideas by filling out a survey in the cafeteria or by dropping off a recipe. The station has been founded to meet the needs of the student, so once the project has been launched in an estimated 2 weeks, Aldan will be welcoming continual feedback.



Anticipating possibilities to come



The Potato Bar

Toppings include:
Vegetarian chili
Cranberry yogurt
Fat free sour cream
Broccoli and cheese

Seasonal Fruit Shakes

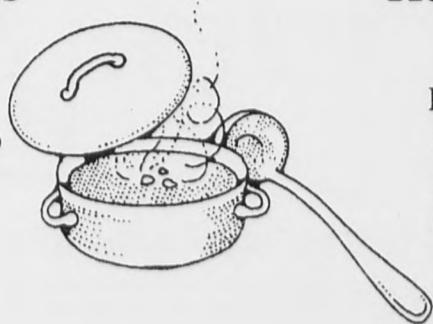
Varieties include:
Strawberry Banana
Pineapple Orange
Peach Raspberry
Coconut Banana

Juiced Vegetables

Selections include:
Carrot
Cabbage
Squash
Spinach

Prepackaged Salads

Choices include:
Tuna fish with fat free mayo
Legume salad
Carrot salad with raisins
Cabbage salad



Health Choice Entrees

Possible features include:
Chunky Vegetable Stew
Broiled Lemon Soul
Sliced Cranberry and Turkey
Bulgur Stuffed Chicken Breast

Current Health Choices

Still persisting are:
Columbo fat free yogurt
Baked Bagel Chips
Best Health Herbal Teas
Grilled Chicken Sandwiches

Attention Seniors!

Senior Portraits will be taken on December 5–9, 1994 from 8:00 AM until 4:30 PM, in rooms 106 and 112, Student Center Annex. Sign-up sheets are at the Student Center Information Desk.

If you miss the Fall sign-up, there will be one in the Spring 1995.

Come one, Come all!

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Birds of a feather

by Danielle Mazzuca

The winds are racing, the skies are gray. The weather is becoming more dreary with each passing day. As I'm sure you all have noticed, winter is approaching. Wintertime is a constant struggle for all wildlife. Food is scarce and the weather is harsh. This winter season, I ask that you not forget our feathered friends.

Although birds are instinctual creatures and survival of the fittest does exist, we can still assist wild birds by providing food, water, or shelter for

to save trips to the store and save money. Also, store the seed in a dry, cool place such as a metal trash can with a lid. Thistle seed is popular among goldfinches, purple finches and reppolls. Safflower seed can be used to attract cardinals. However, sunflower seed or four season seed (a mixture) seems to be the preference among backyard birds. A mixture of peanut butter and seed or cornmeal provides a great energy source for birds in the harsh winter weather.

Make sure the seed never sits while wet because it will grow mold and, if

also wise to put oil or a slippery substance on the post to make it difficult for squirrels to climb. A squirrel baffle, which is a plastic or metal guard also serves as a good deterrent for squirrels.

When you have feeders, you will occasionally encounter baby birds that have fallen from their nest, or injured or ill birds.

First, if you stumble upon a fallen baby bird, the most important thing to do is to return it to the nest. A commonly held myth is that the parents will reject it after the scent of human contact. However, most birds do not have a sense of smell and will welcome the baby bird back to the nest. It most often has fallen out by accident.

Sometimes the bird will not stay in the nest. If this is the case, it is advised to leave it in a tree. Many birds try perching on a branch before attempting to fly. The parents will still care for it by listening to the calls. If these attempts prove to be impossible, take it to an environment about 90° F by using a heating pad on low setting and create a nest of tissues or cloth.

If you come across an injured or ill bird, be careful picking it up for the bird's safety as well as your own. If you can get close to a wild bird without it flying away, something is wrong with it. A towel, jacket or cloth can be put over its head and body. Never put the wild bird in a cage because it will attempt to escape and probably further injure itself. Instead, place the



steps while waiting for a licensed rehabilitator.

Although it is tempting, it is illegal to keep native birds as pets. This is to protect the birds as well as ourselves.

If you do encounter injured birds and you are searching for a licensed rehabilitator, or you want some more information, here are some numbers to contact: The Raptor Trust in Millington at (908) 647-2353, the State Division of Fish, Game and Wildlife at (201) 735-5450 and the Avian Wildlife Center (201) 702-1957.

Many people use pesticides and poison sprays to kill bugs in their neighborhoods and backyards. It is a fact that a house wren feeds five-hundred spiders and caterpillars to its young every afternoon. A swallow eats about one-thousand leafhoppers within twelve hours. Two flicker birds eat over 6,180 insects in one day! A pair of Redstarts feeds a minimum of 1,200 crawling and flying bugs to their young every day. Birds can eat an average of 2,000 mosquitoes a day.

Therefore, not only are you helping wild birds survive harsh winters and flourish in other seasons, but you are

Wintertime is a constant struggle for all wildlife. Food is scarce and the weather is harsh.

them. You can start to feed birds at any time. However, once you begin feeding, you are obligated to continue because the birds will become dependent on you.

Winter causes the supply of water to diminish due to freezing temperatures. Although birds eat snow for drink, it takes a considerable amount of energy and body heat to convert the snow to liquid. In order to alleviate this problem, simply fill a plate with water each morning and place it in a sunny area outside.

Shelter is another obstacle. Shelter near the feeders will provide the necessary protection against bad weather conditions

eaten, the birds will get sick. You may want to sprinkle some seed around the feeder to attract the birds. Also, be sure to keep the feeders clean by using hot soapy water or a dilute solution of household bleach.

Finally, create a squirrel-proof feeder. Squirrels are a common predator of birds. Therefore, be sure to locate the feeder at least eight to ten feet away from trees, branches, fences or other places squirrels are commonly found to jump from. Keep the feeder at least five feet off the ground. It is



or predators. Bushes, trees, even an old or used Christmas tree can serve as great shelter. Locate your feeder within five feet of cover.

Here are some easy tips in constructing a successful bird feeder. First of all, you obviously need to start with SEED. It is advised to buy seed in bulk

Together we can put an end to foul play and cruelty to birds and live in harmony with our feathered friends.

bird in a box with towel foundation on the bottom. Leave air holes for ventilation.

Never feed liquids directly to the bird, it can drown. Do not force feed the bird either because it will only increase the stress and endanger the bird's condition even more. If you want to supply some food, simply feed it moist dog food and hard-boiled eggs dipped in water. Remember that these are only intermediate

creating a less bug-infested environment for ourselves without the use of pesticides and chemicals that are harmful to the environment. It is a beautiful sight to watch the birds nest and feed their young in the home you have created. Together we can put an end to foul play and cruelty to birds and live in harmony with our feathered friends.

Pathways To The Future

Career Mail Box

Dear Career Services,
I did well on an interview I recently took with an insurance company. Now they want me to take a test before they will consider hiring me.

Is this unusual? Will other companies test me?

Curious

Dear Curious,

Many employers give written tests as part of the hiring process. In some organizations, not passing the test will eliminate you from further consideration. In others the test is only one element to be considered; the others are your performance at college and how you conduct yourself on the interview.

Usually the tests employers give are timed, last about 45 minutes to an hour and include several sections. One part may be reading comprehension; an-

other, numerical problems and the last, clerical detail. Many times organizations hiring computer science majors give logic tests and passing is necessary for the candidate to be hired.

One major New Jersey employer gives candidates they are considering for management positions, a business simulation test. The candidate spends several hours performing a series of activities which are comparable to tasks which would be performed at the job. Once again, passing the test is key to being hired.

Usually only large organizations give tests. Small and medium sized employ-

ers' hiring decisions hinge on the interview.

Eileen Bruck
Director
Career Services

Dear Career Services,

I am having no luck finding a full-time job in my field. Should I consider temporary work?

Discouraged

Dear Discouraged,
At one time a temporary job was just that. But it's very different

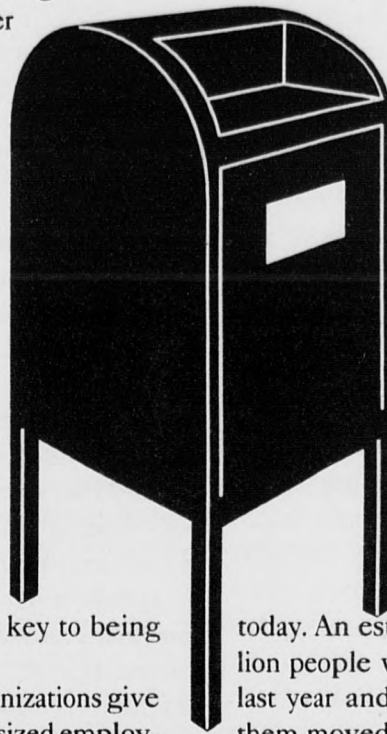
today. An estimated five to seven million people worked in temporary jobs last year and as many as one-third of them moved on to permanent jobs in

the companies where they temp-ed.

Some companies are hesitant to make commitments to hire full-time employees without knowing they can perform. Hiring a "temp" who does the job allows employers to try before they buy. This concept of trying first and buying later can also work for you, the candidate. From the outside, it is very difficult to evaluate if the company will meet your needs and requirements. Being on the inside gives you a more realistic view. Other benefits from temping are that you can continue your job hunt while collecting a paycheck and often you feel more positive about your candidacy because of your involvement in the workplace.

The down side of temping is modest wages and no benefits. But it is not a bad way to get your foot in the door.

Eileen Bruck
Director/Career Services



Bring your career questions to Career Services,
Student Center Annex, room 104.

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from on-campus terminals or from off-campus computers by using a modem and the password to their personal system account. Once on the new system, students can see a copy of their transcript, receive an instant on-line audit, get computerized Academic Advising, pay tuition (via a credit card) and use a host of other services.

The implementation of such a system will be expensive, but streamlining the registration and advising processes should save the school money in the long run. And at the same time it may solve some of the problems that have plagued the advising and registration processes.

It will also make the University experience more productive for students who

will be able to take advantage of many helpful features that could be provided. Imagine looking up a syllabus for a particular course or comparing syllabi from different professors before registering for a course. Imagine sending your term paper in by E-mail or discussing a grade with your professor on-line. Imagine taking a final exam on-line. Imagine the possibilities.

The technology is here, and quickly becoming ubiquitous. Since universities are where experimentation breeds convention it seems like a natural progression for them to take the lead in this area. But industry is already using far superior technology. Hopefully, colleges and universities will quickly move ahead in this field and take the lead in technological service delivery.

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for you to sing your favorite song and be the star performer. Students browsed through the catalog of songs contained on the discs for the Karaoke machine and chose a wide variety of material. Some students decided to do a solo, while other performed duets. The finale of Karaoke Night occurred when a group of eight students sang, "Ob-La-Di-Ob-La-Da," and even danced along to the music.

Advisor to LPH and Program Coordinator of MSU's Speech Communication Division in the Department of BSCDT Dr. Thomas L. Veenedall joined in the fun. He received thunderous applause for his dancing and singing by his students.

Rosaleen Gaughan, 19, a student from Kean attended the event and said, "Even though I'm not a student at Montclair and I only knew a few people at Karaoke Night I really enjoyed myself. It was a good idea to get the students to raise money for charity by having such a fun event like Karaoke. I had fun just watching the people sing."

Human Needs is recognized as the largest food pantry in Essex County. Director of Human Needs, Frank Rennie, explained that he serves about 750 clients each month. Some 381 adults and 477 children depend of Human Needs Food Pantry to provide a variety of different foods.

Human Needs accepts both food and monetary donations. Rennie prefers

money donations because he is able to purchase food in bulk from a food bank in Newark. For every dollar received Rennie can purchase seven dollars worth of food for Human Needs, which translates to about .14 cents per pound of food.

Human needs serves welfare families as well as the homeless and those who have a legitimate need. Pantry hours are: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:30 - 2:15 p.m.

Rennie explained that he tries to put together a special holiday assortment for the Thanksgiving holiday and December holidays. He likes to get foods traditionally served during those holidays, so that his clients are able to celebrate the holidays also.

LPH was formed in 1986 by Dr. Stephen A. Smith of the University of Arkansas. LPH is an affiliate organization of the Speech Communication Association (SCA). It has 82 national chapters and is growing. It is designed to recognize, foster, and reward outstanding achievement in the field of communication.

"LPH thanks all those who came to Karaoke Night and gave something to Human Needs. Hopefully we were able to give the less fortunate in our college community something to be thankful for this holiday," ended Martin.

LIFE needs a new assistant editor.

If you're interested in getting involved on campus this is a perfect opportunity. Please contact Heather or Dave at the Montclarion office or call X5282.

Thursday, December 1, 1994

On the Record

by Paul Dowd



Everclear World of Noise Capitol Records

Portland, Oregon is supposed to be the next Seattle with bands like Pond and Everclear. But the key in establishing a successful music scene is a sound that is all one's own. This is what sounding like a generic Seattle band with very little originality. Everclear is Scott Cuthbert on drums, Art Alexakis on guitar, vocals and Craig Montoya on bas. Alexakis produced the album, which is decent, just not original.

Alexakis' vocals are similar to Kurt Cobain, but lacks the screaming ability that Cobain possessed. Nirvana sound-alikes include "Nervous and Weird" and "Loser Makes Good," a song that drowns itself in all too tried angst. There are several highlights on the disc, "Invisible," "Sparkle" and "Pennsylvania Is," but there is no song that just grabs

the listener. "Pennsylvania Is" is a self-righteous, preachy song on the issue of abortion, but the catchy melody suits Alexakis' vocals. Eventually, Everclear gets too

caught up in their angst and meaningless principles about life, that the Seattle bands have already exhausted. If Everclear wants to establish Portland as a legitimate scene, it must perfect a sound all their own instead of mimicking a worn out proven formula.

The Bogmen

On their three-song demo, The Bogmen exemplify qualities of cohesiveness of their music and awareness of their roles in the music world. The first song "Raga" has a Latin swing feel, with a heavy David Byrne influence to it. "Doubters Glass," along with "Raga" shows the cohesiveness of the band with temp changes and a tight sound. The third song, "Suddenly" may be their best. The falsetto vocals accentuate the loss of a girlfriend against a funky backbeat through a Phish-like mentality. On "Suddenly," the humor and quirkiness shine through on a band that knows they're good and yet they don't take themselves too seriously, a quality most bands never seem to grasp.

REVIEW: Sons of Freud and Every Damn Day live at the Rat

by Robert Lefever

Once again it was another Rat Rock Monday, this time Class One Concerts featured two bands - Sons of Freud and Every Damn Day.

Sons of Freud took the stage first, enjoying the audience when it was at its largest, or should I say when there was one in existence. They enthusiastically played with such punkish tunes as "Juxtaposed" and "Lackadaisical" (song titles that sound like old SAT vocabulary coming back to haunt you) and "Thawed-Out." These songs had a combined rock-energy, musical simplicity and low-toned vocals which gave them all a Ramones-like sound. They also did a

revved-up version of "(My Baby Likes to Do the) Hanky Panky" and "Ain't That a Shame" which they segued into after a rocking intro and the lead singer's declaration of "Cheap Trick Rules!"

Sons of Freud showed that you don't have to be virtuosos to be in a rock band - just get up there, crank out barre chords, and presto!...you have rock music.

When Every Damn Day (from Clifton) took the stage, the number of audience members had died drastically. It was quite comical

how after the band announced that they

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Ron Albanese of Sons of Freud.

Heather Trout

Coming up...

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Thursday, December 1

THEATER — *The Miracle Worker* will be presented by Theatre Series. The show runs until Saturday, Dec. 3 and showtimes are 8 p.m. all nights with a 2 p.m. matinee on Friday, Dec. 2. For more information and ticket prices, please call the MSU box office at 655-5112.

Tuesday, December 5

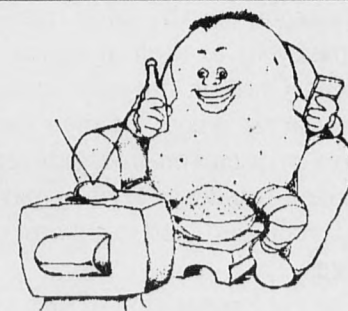
FILM — Monty Python's *The Meaning of Life*, in which the Python troupe makes fun of all that is sacred, will be presented by the Montclair Protestant Foundation's Free Film Series and will be shown in room 178, New Humanities and Social Science Building at 7 p.m. Discussions after the film will be led by Rev. Dr. Robert Price of the Montclair Protestant Foundation.

Friday, December 8

THEATER — The American Stage Company presents *The Gift of Giving* which includes the story *The Gift of the Magi* and a musical celebration of the seasons. The show will be performed at the Becton Theatre at Fairleigh Dickinson University in Teaneck and will run until Wednesday, December 18. Performances are Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. with matinees Saturdays and Sundays at 2:30 p.m. For reservations and ticket information, please call the box office at 692-7744.

The Couch Potato Update

by George Olschewski



Most of you who have been reading my column since it began in 1989 might have noticed I'm a Trekkie.

No, I don't own a set of Spock ears, and no posters of any Starfleet vessels grace my walls. I watch all three current versions of *Star Trek*, and I eagerly wait for the arrival of *Voyager*. I saw the *Generations* movie, as well as the past six "original cast" movies.

I, however, take pride in the fact that I have a life. I don't wear any *Trek* uniforms, insignia, or paraphernalia of any sort. I do other things, unlike some Trekkies that sleep with "Mr. Scott's Guide to the Enterprise" and can recite the Prime Directive in nine extraterrestrial languages. But there is one person that I can think of that has no life, Phil Farrand.

Phil Farrand is the author of *The Nitpicker's Guide for Classic Trekkers*, as well as the one for *Next Generation Trekkers*. (What the difference is between a

Trekkie and a Trekker is beyond me.)

In order to fully appreciate the madness of this book, here is an excerpt from Farrand's commentary on *Space Seed*, whose sequel became *Star Trek II: The Wrath Of Khan*:

"PLOT OVERSIGHTS- Supposedly, Khan is the product of genetic engineering. Yet, he looks about 35. At the very latest, he disappeared from Earth in the year 1999. That means he was born sometime before 1965. Were scientists really able to engineer a human genertcally in 1965, or did the creators imagine that Khan was the result of some type of high-speed cloning and aging?"

"When Khan takes over the ship, he shuts down all life support to the bridge. While suffocating, Kirk makes a log entry and recommends commendations for five of the crew members on the bridge. The scene clearly shows seven

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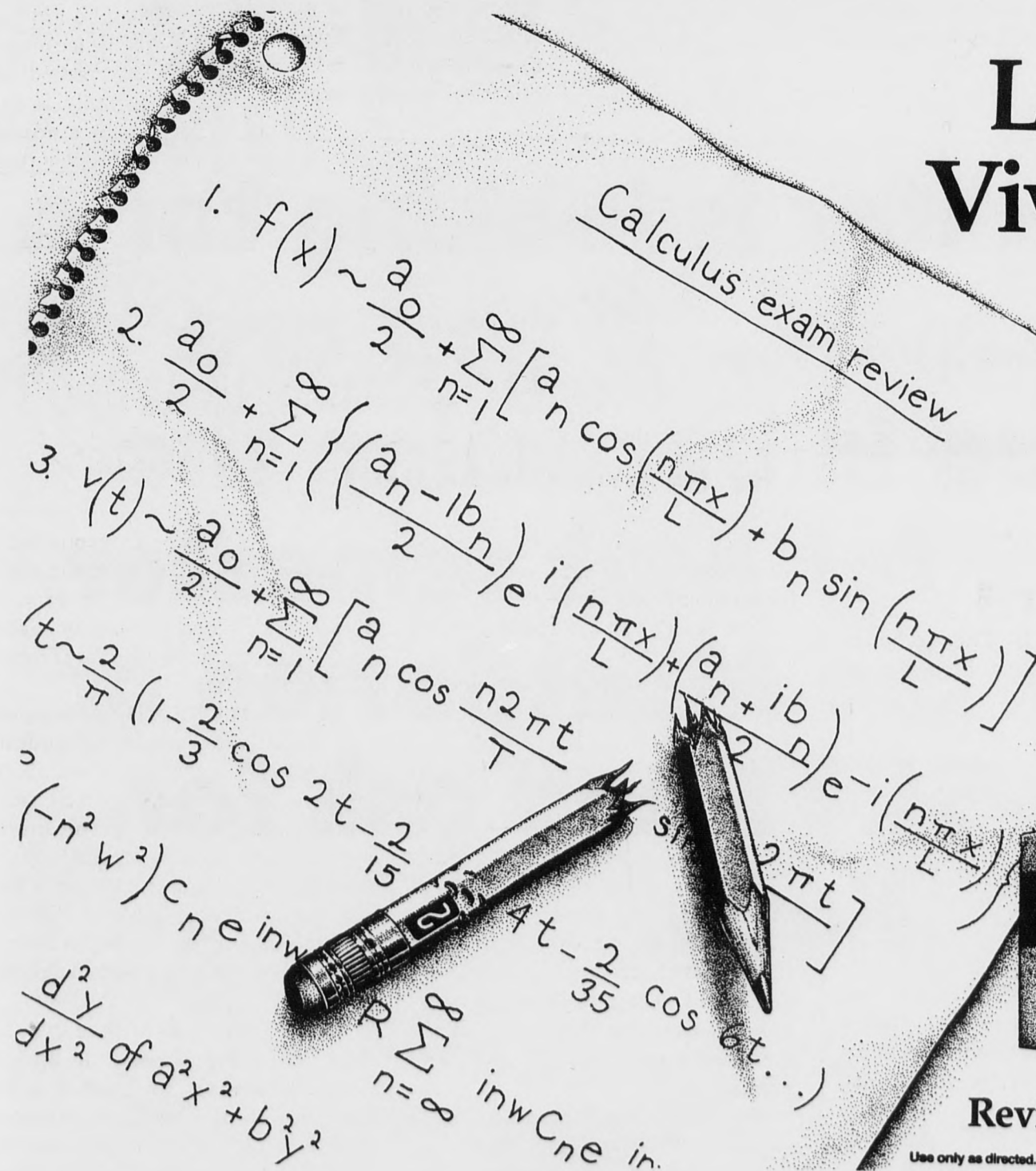
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The Fashion Boutique

by Deanna Mazza



Tight, fitted, snug. Some cringe at the thought of wearing clothing that flatters the figure. In past years many styles were constructed to hide flaws - not anymore.

It was a celebration of the feminine physique on the runways. Couture designers had one thing in common for fall - a visible waist line. This love affair of the waist can be traced back to the late 1800's where women wore corsets that restricted the waist.

Women's Wear Daily reported in their July 26, 1994 edition that Yves Saint Laurent, Karl Lagerfeld, Chanel and Dior all capitalized on the silhouette whether it be in coat dresses, jumpsuits, pant suits or skirt suits.

Don't think these svelte looks are reserved solely for couture. Pam Kisciras, manager of Sylvia Mancin, said she is selling suits that are "fitted at the waist" and extend down to the hip bone. The jackets in this specialty shop are tapered at the waist but are not long like past years. "We are selling a lot of basic, conservative looking suits," Kisciras said. Properly designed suits can be conservative yet powerfully sexy. Looking conservative yet sexy allows the wearer to exude a confident image.

The way to go this fall is to combine a basic suit with a nip in the waist. This fad may foster stricter diet habits around the holidays. Mindful consumers will consider the repercussions before devouring another piece of pumpkin or sweet potato pie. Little is left to the imagination with this new revealing cut. Got to keep those curves in tact!

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like to interact with their audience, a whole group of people got up to leave. But I guess the band deserved it after knocking the Counting Crows.

Anyway, Every Damn Day began their set playing a Violent Femmes-ish song called "Petrified." The ten (if that many) remaining audience members showed their appreciation by clapping and the lonely bartender started to count up his money. So you can imagine how hard it was for the band to get excited about what they were doing.

The next song to follow sounded quite a bit like Elvis Costello and the Attractions - the lead vocalist's voice had a distinct quality and the rhythm guitar pumped out a jangling sound. Some of the covers were "Love Potion

#9," a Kiss song which I didn't know the name of and "Brandy," a little lame ditty that's a standard for AM radio, but the band really livened it up and made it a great song. The last song played was a cool rendition of the Bee Gee's "How Deep is Your Love." I never thought a Bee Gee's song could be played without subtle mockery, but Every Damn Day did a superb job revitalizing this one.

Both bands seemed to be pretty decent and in a different atmosphere could even be really exciting to watch and listen to, but in both cases, that night, their sound was a bit monotonous. You can't deny the fact though that they do play some interesting and unexpected covers.

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on the bridge, not counting Kirk. Why didn't the last two get commendations?"

There's a lot more where that came from, and believe me, they get really, really nitpicky. Trust me.

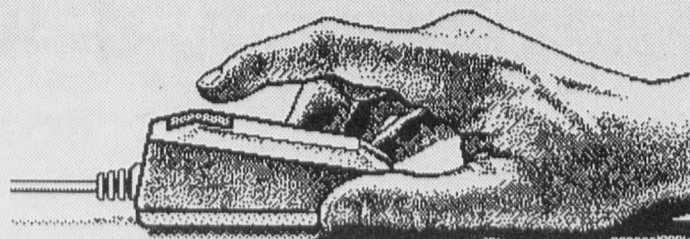
After reading a few episodes' worth of commentary, it was clearly apparent that the author had absolutely nothing to do but watch *Star Trek* and catalog all the errors, oversights, and general screw-ups. Like *Beavis and Butt-Head*, if you

take these books at face value, they're entertaining. Things that you would never imagine are in there. However, if *Trek* is your religion, these books are filled with heresies and should be avoided like the Rigellian Plague.

Wait a minute. You say you have a life, yet you read these books and watch Star Trek. Are you sure you have a life?

Uh. . . no comment. See you next week.

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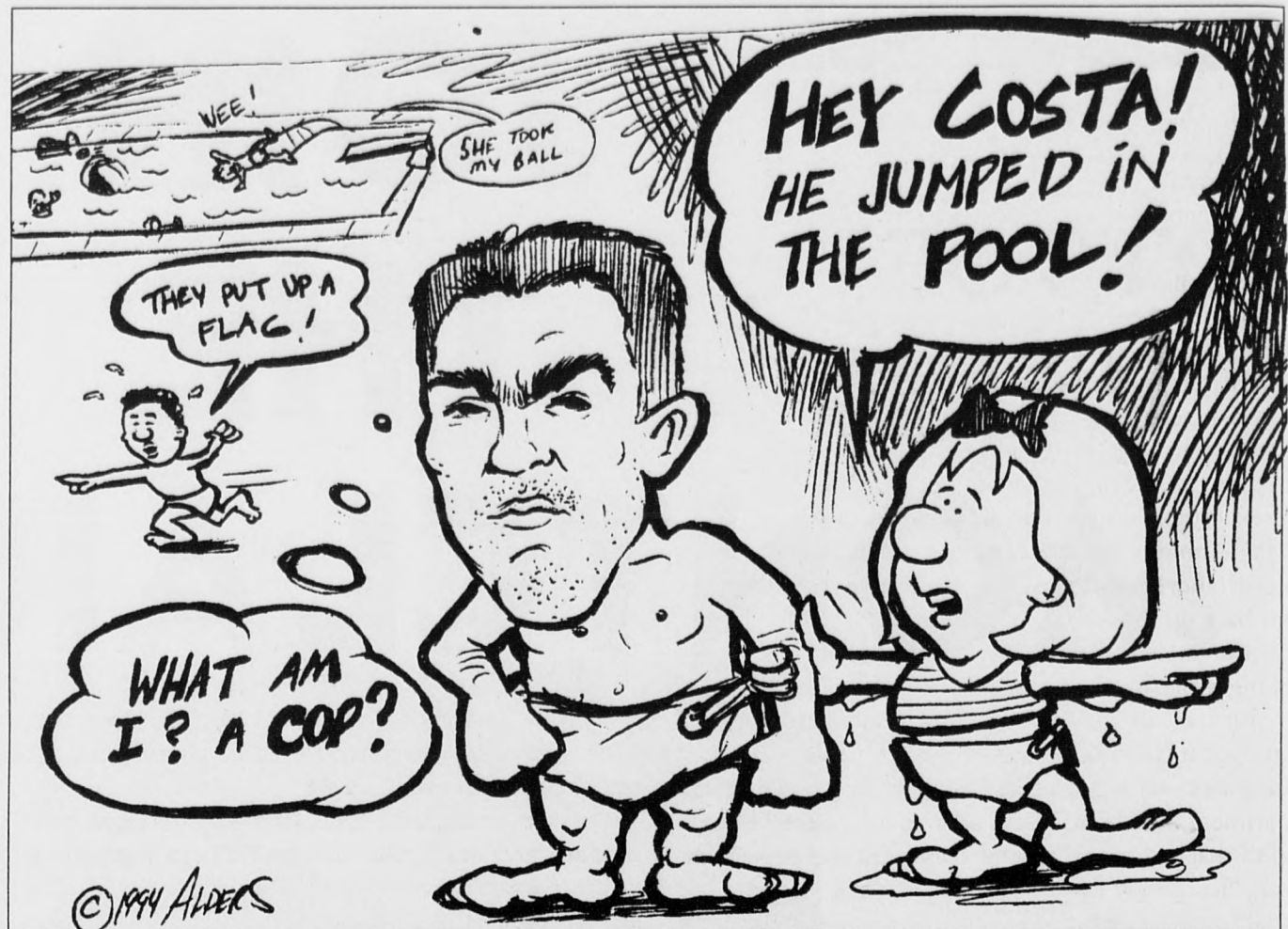
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MAIN EDITORIAL



Conduct Unbecoming?

Sometimes we get what we ask for.

By charging Delta Kappa Psi in the now notorious Flag Flap, Mike Costa may have opened Pandora's Box.

First, it was the Confederate flag, and now all sorts of actions are becoming *unbecoming* of Greeks: diving in swimming pools, smoking in the bathroom, flushing paper towels down the toilet...you know, important things.

The problem is, if one Greek organization can be disciplined for the action(s) of one of its members, then all Greek organizations are vulnerable to the same.

But, what qualifies as conduct unbecoming? Who decides? A group of 40 hotel managers bent on stopping completely irrationally inebriated screaming "Yutes" from partaking in a midnight dip? Could be.

Mr. Costa's complaint that he is "not a policeman" only leaves those who were led to believe he had the answers to wonder where to find them. There are no written guidelines that clearly determine what is and what is not acceptable behavior. In the current climate of "witch hunts" that exists on this campus, it is crucial that those standards be very clear. No wonder, then, many members of the Greek community have turned to their leader for guidance.

But, on that matter, it is Costa who turns up all wet.

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Fashion police at MSU

On Thursday evening, Nov. 10, 1994, at approximately 9:20 p.m., I was driving my parents' 1979 Cadillac home from a rehearsal from the Theatre Dept. at MSU. I was driving their car, with their permission, because my own car was in the shop and due to my folks being on vacation, using the car was not a problem.

I offered to drive four friends to their cars that evening being that my car was parked the closest to campus.

I started the car and realized my lights were out so I figured there must have been a short in the wiring. So I drove with my parking and hazard lights on to enable me to drop my colleagues off at their vehicles.

As I stopped my car in the pit to let my friends out, a MSU Campus Police Car parked behind me, put on his lights (after I had already stopped) and proceeded to wait for back up.

Two more campus police cars pulled up next to me, along with two unmarked cars...all for my lights???

First of all, Sgt. Newcombe and Sgt. McKenzie stepped up to my car window and asked for my license, insurance and registration. I reached for my glove compartment and I hear, "Get a light on over there." Shortly after that comment, another comment was passed saying, "Keep your eye on them in the back." But the one that I especially enjoyed was directed to my friend in the front passenger seat who was told to "Keep your hands where I can see them."

After the "officers" studied my information and we played 20 questions, I was told that I was driving a stolen vehicle due to the fact that my registration did not match the car I was driving.

Now, knowing full well that they car was not stolen, I stated the fact that there must be some mistake. The Cadillac was in my family's ownership for about 13 years and there had never been a problem before.

Still, I was told the car was a stolen vehicle. The color was marked at being "B" in the color designation section and had an extra two digits at the end of its vin number.

I was told that the "B" stood for "Blue;" the color was a non-match.

The Cadillac is gold, however, gold cannot be marked on the registration card...but brown can.

I had a hard time figuring out what the extra two digits were on the vin number, "79." Why is there an extra 79 at the end of this number? Being that I was threatened to be "taken in" for questioning, I did not realize that the

extra "79" at the end of the number stood for the year in which the car was manufactured; 1979. There was absolutely nothing wrong with my registration.

I did not realize all of this that evening but until after the help of the motor vehicle department and my father.

There were some things that I did realize that evening; I was wearing a black leather jacket; I was wearing a black hat; I was a young female college student driving a ritzy car and a I was being harassed.

That night, I was told to park the car in the MSU lot. I was told to not even try to touch the vehicle until I showed the title to it to campus police. I had until noon the next day, otherwise the car would be impounded.

Well, the next day, I showed up with a canceled check, a purchase receipt, a title, registration, insurance card and my license. Not to mention my short spiky red hair, my black stretch pants and again my black leather jacket. Quite honestly, again I wore this outfit for spite.

Well the car is in my possession now, regardless, I felt as if I had to write this article to get my point across to the rest of this University Campus.

On the evening of the tenth, I was threatened, humiliated and harassed by the Campus Police in front of four of my colleagues from MSU. Not only that, but I had to pay for a cab, out of my pocket to come to campus so that I could get home that evening. Quite honestly, I feel as though I pay MSU enough for my education. How much more will I be forced to pay for? I firmly believe that this whole event took place because of my appearance and because the Campus Police were anxiously awaiting any unusual experience to come into play.

I am a BFA Theatre student, who has been on the Dean's List all through my college career. I am also a respected and reputable dance trainer and teacher in the NJ, NYC city area and I was accused of theft by the MSU Campus Police.

I am a firm believer that everyone is innocent before proven guilty. I also firmly believe that appearances should not necessarily stereotype an individual into a certain category. I also firmly believe that the Campus Police were in this case, inadequate and should be offered a course in the proper reading of a NJ Motor Vehicle Registration Card before falsely accusing an innocent and respected student of a felony.

Stacy J. Rice
Senior BFA Theatre Student

Was the pot calling the kettle black?

Over the years I've attended MSU, I've had a little trouble fully comprehending the "Greek" establishment here. Tell me how I'm doing so far.

1) Hanging a Confederate Flag for 15 minutes, obviously not meant to be a full display, is conduct unbecoming of a Greek organization.

2) Despite point #1 being true, a group of Greeks can mail a dead woodland creature to someone's residence without being charged as did the organization that hung the flag, in fact, the sick and twisted Greek who mailed the dead squirrel can prosecute the ones who hung the flag?

Mike Costa, does the word hypocrite mean anything to you? When you pursue justice, it is dignified, but when a potential Ad-Hoc committee pursues justice at your expense, it is, I quote, a "witch hunt."

Mike "Nature Boy" Costa, the great white hope you're not. Stop playing the role of the pious prosecutor. It takes a demented, psychologically unsound person to mail a dead squirrel to someone's house and then accuse another organization, unbecoming of a Greek organization.

Sincerely,
Louis A. Cafeiero III
Senior Business Administration

Brain Drain

After viewing the incident with the Confederate Flag, I would like to give you my view a an "outsider" looking in, that is, someone who does not belong to a Delta Kappa Psi or any other fraternity for that matter.

The recent events surrounding this has prompted me to believe that there is more here than meets the eye. The Confederate Flag is a microcosm to what is really going on this campus, and that would be a certain "caste" racism. The fraternities and (in that case, the sororities) have made it a point not to associate themselves with the "others" (the lower part of existence, the nomads). These groups are supposedly here to give the men and women going to college a sense of belonging and a feel for finding a new, less hostile, environment. But what they really do is indoctrinate these young men and women to the way the group wants them to act. These young men and women then become "brainwashed" and absorbed in the ways of these organizations. The term "brain-dead" comes to mind after I see what these people become, robots, with only the mind of their fraternity rules, and "above the rest of society" as people who seem to care less about their fellow students, except their own feeble minds. These organizations have the outer lining of socialism without the famed "HAMMER and SICKLE" type mentality of the Soviet Flag (even though symbols of these fraternities and sororities are painted of trees, rocks, or anything else they can get their hands on as a sign of dominance among the pee-ons of this campus). I feel that there should be a watch-dog among these groups with the power to extricate any group for offending actions or intolerable behavior.

Frank DeStefano

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MSU students not only diverse in ethnicity

There comes a time in everyone's life when an undeniable truth is revealed. It happened to me after a fourteen year absence from school. I was sitting in my first class, examining my new textbook, when I heard someone sit down in front of me. Causally, I looked up from my book and was instantly mesmerized. The person seated in front of me was unlike anything I had seen before, but what perplexed me the most was that I could not determine its gender.

My attention was first directed to the head. The bottom half of the scalp had been shaved right to the skin while the crown was top heavy with tiny braids. Little shells attached to the hair made a clattering noise every time the head moved.

Scanning the rest of the body, I searched for any clues that would enable me to reach a conclusion about its sexual identity. The ears were pierced, but the body wore a checkered flannel shirt with blue jeans and chunky leather work boots. Everything about this figure struck me as being very androgynous.

As class started, I could only pay attention to the form in front of me. Two words kept going through my head, boy or girl? Were there not any other persons in the room who felt the same curiosity?

Then a way for me to solve this puzzle appeared. He or she had a question to ask. In eager anticipation I listened, but to no avail. The voice was ambiguous as the figure.

Feeling totally bewildered, I hoped to end my confu-

sion once and for all by listening to the names called out during attendance. To pass the time I decided to look at my fellow classmates. I noticed a boy with gold hoop earrings, very similar to what I imagined pirates wore and another male with locks that Repunzel would envy. The girl with the Medusa hair style was wearing an Army jacket. My husband had one just like it when he was in the military. These college students looked very different from my classmates of years gone by. Finally, the time I had been waiting for arrived. The name that was going to end my quandary turned out to be Pat.

By the end of class, I did make an important discovery. I was getting old.

Marianne Feeney

Minority groups a major concern at MSU

We would like to bring out your concern to the awareness of discrimination on this campus. Referring to the article by Towanda Underdue on the title of "Appearance of Confederate flag underlines racial issues on campus" in Sunday Star-Ledger, Nov. 6, 1994, there was an interview with Lee Wilcox, Vice President for Student Development and Campus Life. In the interview, he mentioned that several minority groups combined 36 percent of the minority student population on campus. However, the Asian students on this campus are not mentioned as one of

the minority groups. According to the statistics, we know that Montclair has a vast number of Asian students. The number of Asian students on campus is definitely more than the Native American students.

As all of you may know, exclusion is a very serious sign of discrimination. It is extremely unfair to Asian students for not having any recognition of status. If there is any mistake found in the mentioned article, corrections should be made in no time and we would like to hear from the Vice President for Student Development and

Campus Life as he is the one who represented Montclair State University in the interview.

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Happy Birthday Mrs. Fleischman

From the Left

by Frank Fleischman III



The day that this column is in print, December 1, is important. On a personal level, it is my mother's birthday. On a global level, it is the beginning of the United Nations-declared Human Rights Awareness Month, where all nations and all peoples are asked to keep in mind those who suffer human rights abuses.

The term "human rights" is relatively new, although the concept is not. The term was coined when member states of the United Nations drew up the "Universal Declaration of Human Rights" in 1948. It was a declaration that brought together many different ideas about freedom, peace and human dignity into a cohesive and agreeable language.

The Declaration guarantees, among other things, equal recognition of all human beings, freedom from slavery, freedom from cruel and unusual punishment, right to international asylum from persecution, freedom of thought, conscience and religion, a right to a decent standard of living and a right to education.

The writing and affirmation of the Declaration came out of the horrors of the Holocaust. The attempted destruction of the entire Jewish population by the Nazis made real the potential for massive human rights violations.

The letter and the spirit of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights falls quite short of reality. To this day, forty-six years after the Declaration was written, human rights violations continue in many countries. Torture, imprisonment for religious or political beliefs, censorship and unfair trials are a part of life for many people in this world.

Human rights violations are not associated with any one form of government or ideology. Capitalist countries as well as Communist countries, democracies as well as

totalitarian dictatorships share the guilt in mistreating their citizens.

It is not often that I discuss international problems in depth. Many who know me and read my columns know that I am very critical of the United States and its involvement with foreign dictators and problems around the world. My criticisms of the United States do not waver when I discuss a concept as universal as human rights. It is my First Amendment right (as well as my human right) to speak on things that I feel important, even if it means criticizing my own country. There are those who are uncomfortable with criticism of the United States and thus accuse those who do criticize of being "anti-American," "subversive" and "treasonous" (you know who you are).

I feel that the United States does violate human rights within its own borders. The death penalty is still used in the United States, even though most of the other industrialized nations have stopped the practice. Censorship continues. At least 30 million people in our nation live below the poverty level.

Illiteracy persists in a time that lauds the "information superhighway" and stresses the need for education. These problems would fall under "human rights violations" if ever brought before the International Court of Justice.

Article 28 of the Declaration reads, "Everyone is entitled to a social and international order in which the rights and freedoms set forth in this Declaration can be fully realized." I interpret this to say that the nations of this world must give up their own narrow definitions of "national interests." In other words, the creation of a global community.

A global community would mean giving up a "my

country right or wrong" attitude so that each and every country would be open to scrutiny. No country could hide behind its own nationalism anymore.

A global community would mean acceptance of people of different races and cultures. Nations would be asked to tolerate cultures different than their own. This can be a hard pill for people to swallow.

People in our own country fear the idea of a global community. One need only listen to the rhetoric of Senator Jesse Helms, who calls the United Nations "that enemy" and has hinted from time to time that he supports the withdrawal of the United States from the UN as a member state.

Nationalism as the world has experienced it for the better part of modern history has become a barrier to understanding in this rapidly changing world. Old barriers to acceptance are crumbling, as they should. World community is a noble goal and the only place that I see that is helping to bring the idea of a world community to reality is the United Nations and the affirmation of universal human rights.

The poet William Butler Yeats once wrote, "There is not left a virtuous nation, and the best of us walk by candlelight." No nation fully respects human rights. The operative word in the term "human right" is human. Humans are prone to error and ignorance and it would be utopian to think that all nations would respect all human rights.

However, all of us are things more important than partisan politics, religious beliefs and debate over display of the Confederate Flag. We all must remember this: no government, no religion, no ideology can ever be given greater priority than basic human rights that we as humans enjoy and must protect for one and all.

"...with liberty and justice for some"

Once a free society begins to place limits on speech and actions, whether arbitrarily, or to assuage the emotions and biases of a subgroup of that society, the tradition of liberty serving as the foundation of that society is no longer legitimate.

We are no longer free because we have caved in to the notions of political correctness that have raped the liberty we once held so dear - and should have been willing to die for.

We are no longer Americans.

Yet, Delta Kappa Psi was hung out to dry in an era when a public lynching should carry the same connotations of oppression and destruction of the Human Spirit as the Confederate Flag. Delta Kappa Psi were sacrificed at the altar of political correctness.

They were prosecuted for one reason; because three dozen OSAU members protested. They were scapegoats.

Charging an entire group with "conduct unbecoming the Greek Community" because one member displayed a symbol that was offensive to some - briefly and without forethought or malice - should be much more offensive to all who would be free. It stinks of racism.

Who is to say what is conduct unbecoming? Why

wasn't Senate charged for their actions at Homecoming? Because sheep weren't offended?

If the Greek Community was at odds with the actions of Delta Kappa Psi, they should have passed a resolution condemning them. This would have allowed those who found the fraternity innocent an opportunity to go on record in opposition to the ruling. By conducting a closed court, the dissenting opinions are effectively silenced. It is just another form of censorship.

Instead, an entire group was convicted for the guiltless actions of one member. It is unconscionable to sentence all the members of a group because one member of that group was responsible for offending another group. To say that all the members of Delta Kappa Psi are guilty of offending blacks - because they are members of the same fraternity as the individual who hung the flag - the same as saying all Greeks are guilty because the offending individual is a member of the Greek Community. Or that all white people on campus are guilty because the individual who committed the act is white. Where does it end?

The actions of one may bear poorly on the image of all, but this is a nation founded on individual liberties. The bottom line is that a member of Delta Kappa Psi, or any

other organization, could have walked into the Student Center wearing a hood and carrying a torch and he would have been well within his rights as a citizen of the United States of America no matter who he offended. The one thing worse than preaching hate, racism, sexism, communism, or any other 'ism is restricting that speech because it hurt somebody's feelings.

But forget that the expensive, silk flag was hung only to keep it from being ruined. And that the person who placed it there comes from a culture that fought under that flag and sees so harm, only pride in it. Forget that when other members of the fraternity saw the flag they took it down and issued a collective apology to those they had offended. Forget all that. (The jury did.) People are allowed to believe whatever they want, no matter how painful it may be to some. And like it or not, they are allowed to tell you exactly how they feel as long as they aren't in your living room while they are doing so. So suck it up and prepare to yell back just as loud, no matter what your opinion. There is no Constitutional freedom from being offended. The fact is, that guy with the flag had the First Amendment on his side, and you can't take that away.

Light of Reason

by Michael Lampe



Interesting points on California's Prop. 187

The social impact of Proposition 187 is threatening to split apart the Republican Party. I myself have spent a significant amount of time analyzing the amendment to California's state constitution which passed with flying colors on Nov. 8. The majority of Republicans, have embraced Prop 187. However, leading Republicans Jack Kemp and William Bennett have been vocal in their assault on its passage.

Within a week of the mandate's passing and amidst a plethora of protests, U.S. District Judge Matthew Byrne Jr. issued a temporary restraining order against the measure, almost guaranteeing a future date in Supreme Court. This order both pleases and troubles me. I am forced to ask why the issue was even on the ballot, if, in fact, a simple ruling by a judge is deemed more powerful than the state's electorate? Proposition 187 passed with 59% of the vote. If protests and restraining orders are going to block its implementation and override the voice of the people, I, therefore, can relate to the many Americans who choose not to bother voting.

The superseding of Prop 187, however, may prove to be the best result for the people of California. If Prop 187 is implemented, it will deny illegal immigrants all forms of public services, excluding emergency medical care. Admittedly, illegal immigrants have violated civil law. Despite my concerns with illegal immigration into our sovereign nation, I am partial to the Kemp-Bennett thinking-camp.

First of all, I find it personally disturbing to punish innocent children in response to the actions taken by

their parents. Important services such as education and inoculations would be eliminated under rules of the measure. Currently, a 1982 Supreme Court decision, which reversed a Texas law that banned illegal immigrants from attending public schools, is being looked upon as a precursor to Prop 187's demise.

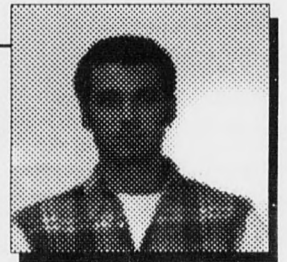
Another disturbing element to Prop 187 is the potential requirement of public officials who, in effect, would act as U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service officers. These would include teachers, doctors, and police officers. If someone suspected another of being an illegal immigrant, he or she would then have to report their suspicion to the INS. Undoubtedly, some allegations would be confirmed but others would result in unjustified disruptions of privacy.

Lastly, and perhaps most perplexing, is the real possibility of Californians having to carry tamper-proof identification cards. This would be the final line in distinguishing between legal and illegal immigrants. Ironically, I would have thought that this form of personal intrusion is precisely what conservative Republicans would abhor. I am not in favor of creating a police state where Americans would require possession of an I.D. card.

I can not let this argument rest, however, without the proper anatomization of Prop 187's antagonists. Rabid cries of racism and xenophobia characterize every Prop 187 protest. There always seems to be an issue at hand that eventually is associated with the "R" word. Why is it assumed so ignorantly that everyone who supports the passage of Prop 187 is racist? Would these accusers find

Roar from the Right

by Michael Rubino



their opinion differed slightly when I recount the fact that 55% of blacks voted for the measure? The point is, Prop 187 supporters are looking for feasible alternatives to an influx of illegal immigration, not to single-out anybody with a last name that ends in "ez."

I must admit I find it hard to be compassionate to those who viciously decried against the support for Prop 187. In Mexico, some low-life outcasts trashed a McDonald's restaurant, chanted "Yankees go home!" and burned the American flag. These must be the same folks who are planning a legal entrance into our country to live amongst us as proud Americans, right? Regardless of their actions, what interest should foreigners have in reforms California may be indulged in to protect their sovereign rights?

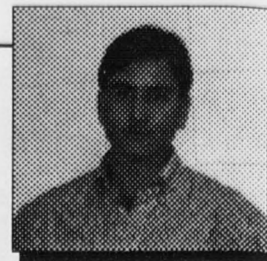
I understand why Prop 187 passed, and I respect the voters' interests. However, Prop 187 may prove to be too intricate to enforce, in addition to the undue suffering of children. Add to this the potential of a totalitarian state and instead, I offer other suggestions. Instead of spending the estimated \$50 million or more on I.D. verification alone, let us spend more money to expand the staff of the federal INS. Heighten efforts to stop illegal immigrants at our border and prevent their entrance. When illegal immigrants are caught, immediately deport them to their native countries.

There are legal ways to enter our nation, as proof of the nearly one million immigrants who enter American each year. Those who wish to live in America must first begin by obeying the laws of America.

Agree to Disagree

Bystander

by Anthony O'Donnell



The Confederate flag incident began with an absurd charge. It was followed by the pretense of a trial, an absurd verdict and a supremely absurd sentence. What ends were served by this process? Fellowship? Respect? Tolerance? A sense of pluralistic community? More like envy, spite, intolerance and the enforcement of a rigid uniformity of outlook. This was inevitable in a community where fashionable parroting passes for learning and where the ideal of liberal education has given way to indoctrination to a lamentable extent.

The fact is that standards of respect, tolerance and pluralism are only meaningful in conditions of rigorous impartiality. Without this there is only a mockery of these principles in the service of prejudice and ideology.

In a fair response to the Confederate flag incident Thomas Sebok's right to an opinion would have been respected just as much as that of OSAU members. And the OSAU would have been criticized if not formally disciplined for their aggressive act of intolerance. But students and administrators acted instead with Pavlovian recognition of the prescribed good-guys and villains, the right and wrong sides: Sebok's Southern-White affiliation made his position self-evidently wrong; the OSAU's African heritage made theirs self-evidently right, despite the obviously petty, malicious and disorderly character of their behavior.

This criticism of the OSAU should be read partly as indignation at unfairness, and partly as a student-journalist's uneasiness at the establishment of an unwelcome precedent: that persons unhappy with an opinion may with impunity gather in large numbers to physically intimidate the opiner. But I suppose that the very fact of my commenting against the "right" party puts me under suspicion of

"racism" by the arbiters of the politically correct.

This is always the way of ideologues. Arguments are treacherous and, in the end, irrelevant. It's more to the point just to shout "communist!", "reactionary!" or whatever epithet serves the doctrine of the hour. Failure to toe the line results in charges of "ignorance" by persons of highly dubious erudition. But these same sages will call you "enlightened" if you will only submit.

Ideologues have their own way of punishing too. Not content with imposing plain sanctions, they are driven to extract humiliating confessions and statements of conversion. Chinese "counter-revolutionaries" had to earnestly denounce the bourgeois crimes of their past and praise the glorious new society; our Delta Kappa Psi had to make a big, big sign of apology and are now under sentence to create a banner saying "We Are The World," or something equally ridiculous. The fraternity must also complete 150 hours of community service and "plan and implement a widely publicized program promoting campus unity." It wasn't clear from reports whether they would be required to smile.

It's sinister. In a society of citizens, people agree to disagree; their civility is an affirmation of their fellows' liberty of mind. The goal of liberal education, which we pretend to pursue, is to make one free and worthy of freedom; to give the student the necessary tools and information to think independently. Many tyrants have even recognized this last redoubt of individual freedom: one's own thoughts. But many at MSU have a different vision.

So this program of re-education has been planned for Delta Kappa Psi. Sherri McCormick said she thinks it will help them to overcome their ignorance. Camp commandant Costa is also pleased. He said "the sanctions reflect a

positive way of dealing with this." An unnamed juror called the proceedings "enlightening" and said, no doubt with a glaze over her eyes, "it was an act of ignorance on the part of everyone in the cafeteria who was not aware of the many meanings of the flag." (Rational people will see that the existence of many meanings helps Delta Kappa Psi's case but -silly me!- of course meanings are subject to approval by the Central Committee.) All seem happy with the idea of coercing the prisoner into public demonstration of a change of heart.

The brothers of Delta Kappa Psi can only be keenly aware of the irony of their position: they were accused of an act of quasi-racism by the people who brought Leonard Jeffries to our campus; they are being forced to propagate "campus unity" to appease a group with the narrower aim of "African unity." Above all they have been sentenced to preach a spirit of inclusion by a governing body that discriminated them out of the fold.

But Delta Kappa Psi can turn all this to their advantage, as did that courageous Navy pilot who showed obeisance to his North Vietnamese tormentors by "mooning" them. Sometimes one's persecutors are so ridiculous that little effort is needed to expose them.

Instead of "planning and implementing a widely publicized program" promoting the Greek Council's own special brand of unctuous hypocrisy, the brothers can use the opportunity to advocate a truly honorable ethos of unity. They can craft their presentation with an emphasis on the sanctity of freedom of opinion and the hard work of true tolerance. By acting magnanimously and showing the student body what dignified unity really requires, Delta Kappa Psi will reveal by contrast the pettiness and imperiousness of their opponents.

Undesirable Nationalities

Defending Controversy

by
Eridania
Perez-Jaquez



As I predicted in my last column, the passing of Proposition 187 has resulted in an enormous load of civil advocacy cases. Consequently, Judge Byrne of Los Angeles Federal District Court has temporarily barred implementation of the statute while the court examines its constitutionality. The court's action lends credence to my contention that Pete Wilson cynically dispersed misinformation about illegal immigrants for political gain, while aware that 187 violated the Plyler decision of 1982.

But the array of attacks against immigrants did not cease with 187. Now, the Republicans have proposed in their utopian "Contract with America" to cut aid to legal immigrants. This proposal exceeds the lines of absurdity because legal immigrants, by definition, are permitted by the Immigration and Naturalization Service to come to this country. Even worse, this measure only panders to xenophobic fear.

It just happens that every time we are near an economic crisis, the government scapegoats immigrants. It was only up to 1890's that this country openly invited immigrants to populate the states. Then during World War I and the Great Depression a xenophobic persecution was begun against Southern and Eastern Europe-

ans, the immigrants of that time. One measure taken by the government to stem the influx of these "undesirable nationalities" was the National Origin Act of 1924, which created a system of strict new annual quotas. However, it left the doors open to "traditional" immigrants of non-European origin, Latinos and Asians. During the 1980's 47% of all immigrants were Latinos and 37% were Asians. Now, it is this crowd of recent immigrants who are the victims of the xenophobic persecution.

This step by Republicans is just another political maneuver, and the seem to neglect that legally-admitted immigrants partake in the economic development of this country. Even the immigrants with less education contribute to the economy as consumers, entrepreneur workers, and taxpayers. A study conducted by "Business Week" shows that 11 million immigrants (of all ethnic groups) are working, and they earn \$240 billion a year, paying more than 90 billion in taxes. That is a lot more than the estimated \$5 billion immigrants receive in welfare. Also, of these 11 million immigrants, 7.2 percent own their businesses.

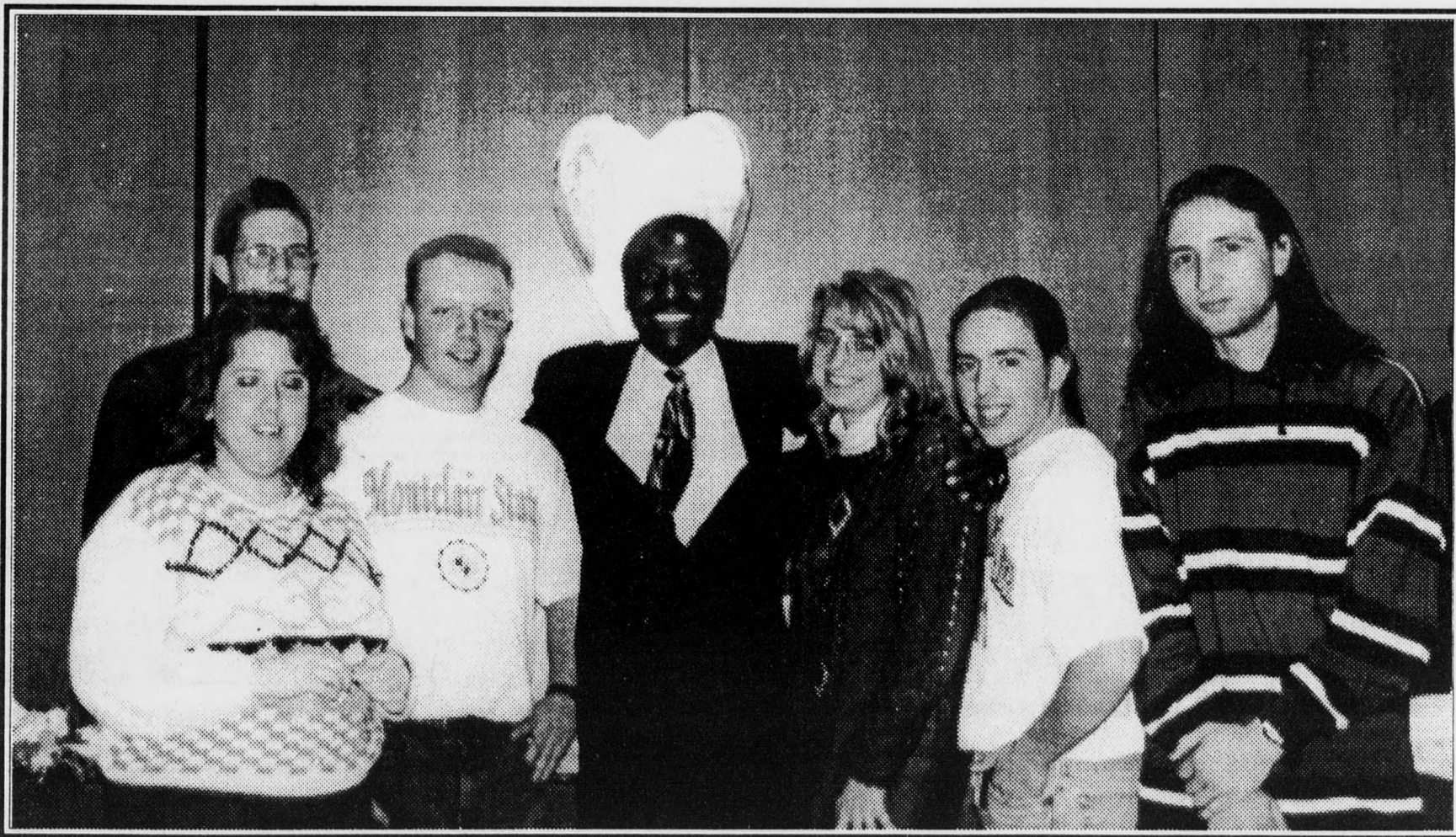
Many say we should halt the immigration flow because American jobs are lost. Immigrants are instrumental in keeping low-skill jobs and manufacturing in New

York, Miami and Los Angeles. According to Maria Enchaute, who has studied the economic effects of immigration for the Urban Institute, "for every increase of 100 people in the native population employment in (manufacturing) grew by 26 jobs. For every increase of 100 in the immigration population, employment in (manufacturing) grew by 46 jobs."

Besides, every individual who now resides in this country comes from immigrant ancestors. Indeed, this country was founded by immigrants who migrated from Britain and subsequently from other parts of the world. Go home today and trace back your ancestry, and you will realize that we all come from European, Latin American, or Asian immigrant families. It is ironic that so many of us say we are "Americans" when we know that America is a land of immigrants with diversified cultures. This also applies to the three hundred Republican signers of the "Contract with America," who mainly come from a European background.

Ultimately, the only factor that makes non-naturalized immigrants different from citizens is that they do not vote. But what Republicans should mind is that legal immigrants are paying their way by paying taxes like ordinary citizens.

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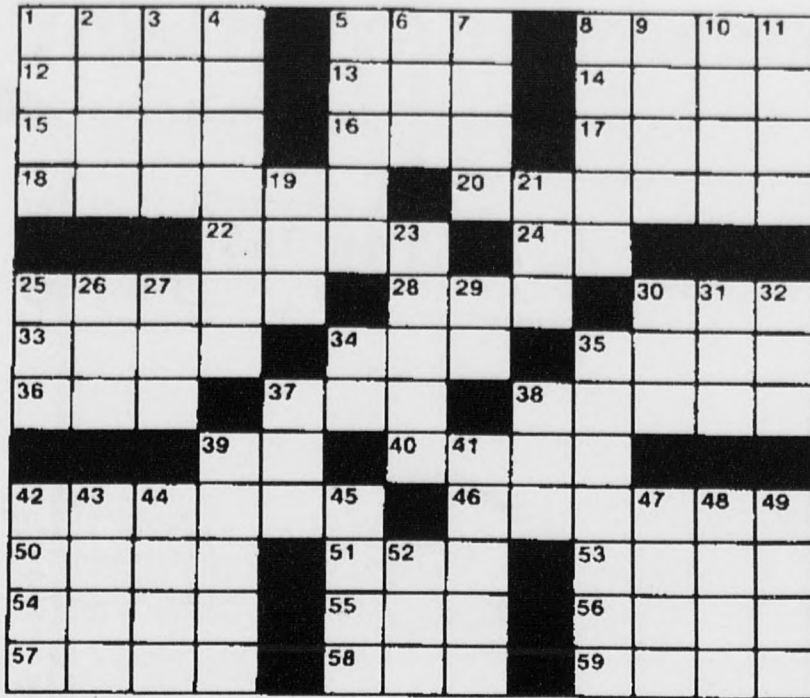
The party was going along splendidly — and then Morty opened the door to the wolverine display.

A piece of wisdom for the day: If the shoe fits wear it. If it doesn't fit, use it as a really cool looking weapon.



For the time being, the monster wasn't in Ricky's closet. For the time being.

Crossword Companion



ACROSS

1. First man
5. Tennis stroke
8. Sci. course (abbr.)
12. Father
13. Anger
14. Female appellation
15. Ireland (poetic)
16. Born
17. City in Russia
18. Irritate
20. Usual
22. Continuous mark
24. Rhenium symbol
25. Cloth cap
28. Snatch
30. Hat
33. Woe is me
34. Total
35. Skin opening
36. Alcoholic drink
37. Time past
38. Logical arrangement
39. 16th Greek letter
40. Walk in water
42. Slow down
46. Need
50. Declare
51. Past
53. Thought
54. Sesame plants

55. Deface
56. Energetic person
57. Leeward
58. Ever (poetic)
59. Building wings

DOWN

1. Examine
2. Challenge
3. Mine entrance
4. Sleeveless coats
5. Cloth
6. Mined mineral
7. Verb
8. Love
9. Standard; model
10. Space
11. Greater height
19. Illuminated
21. Sphere
23. Provide with income
25. Sack
26. — Whitney
27. Sped away on foot
29. Paid announcement (inf.)
30. Fish
31. Verb
32. Each
34. Silver symbol
35. Hold position of authority
37. Atmosphere
38. Poem
39. Description of sentence parts
41. Love
42. — Rata
43. Bad
44. Television (slang)
45. Lady
47. Image
48. Fishing rod
49. Hearing organs
52. Fresh water fish

**More
COMICS!**

"The Cultural Idiocy Quiz" will no longer be printed, since we have ran out of them, and we were unable to purchase the rights to print more. If you have a problem with this...**TOO BAD!!! MUHHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!! I'M EVIL! EVIL!!!!!!**

Your Real Horoscope



by Sgt. Peter P. Pajamas,
A.A. B.P.-certified Monster



Aries: (Mar. 21–Apr. 19) I scare small children to near death. Hearty sailormen with sand and character quake and quiver like willows at the very thought of me. I am the face of hell!

Taurus: (Apr. 20–May 20) Beneath my harsh exterior lies warmth, and a hidden humanity. Fools! You are blind to my cries, and will pay dearly.

Gemini: (May 21–June 21) I'm a freak! A hideous, malformed freak! No one can stand to see me, much less show tenderness.

Cancer: (June 22–July 22) Cancerous moles dot my face and neck, boils run up and down my back. I am the king of scabs and the prince of pus! Fear me!

Leo: (July 23–Aug. 22) If there is a God, why would he burden me with this horrible countenance! There is no God, and I am inconsolable. Let my rage fill the globe with fear.

Virgo: (Aug. 23–Sept. 22) If a man seeks answers, let him gaze upon my shriveled and twisted features, and see the ugliness of man's soul.

Libra: (Sept. 23–Oct. 23) I shall use my great strength to hurt those who would hurt me. But I am weak, and am hurt with a look. The stares of children rain upon me like hails of nettles.

Scorpio: (Oct. 24–Nov. 21) Do not pity me, you feeble person! You could not muster enough pity to ease one iota of my pain.

Sagittarius: (Nov. 22–Dec. 21) Do you fear me? Does not my visage strike a terror unmatched?

Capricorn: (Dec. 22–Jan. 19) You are ignorant of suffering. I am suffering, and you know me not.

Aquarius: (Jan. 20–Feb. 18) If only my eyes and ears were as poorly built as my face, then I'd see not the disgust I bring to others, nor hear their shrieks.

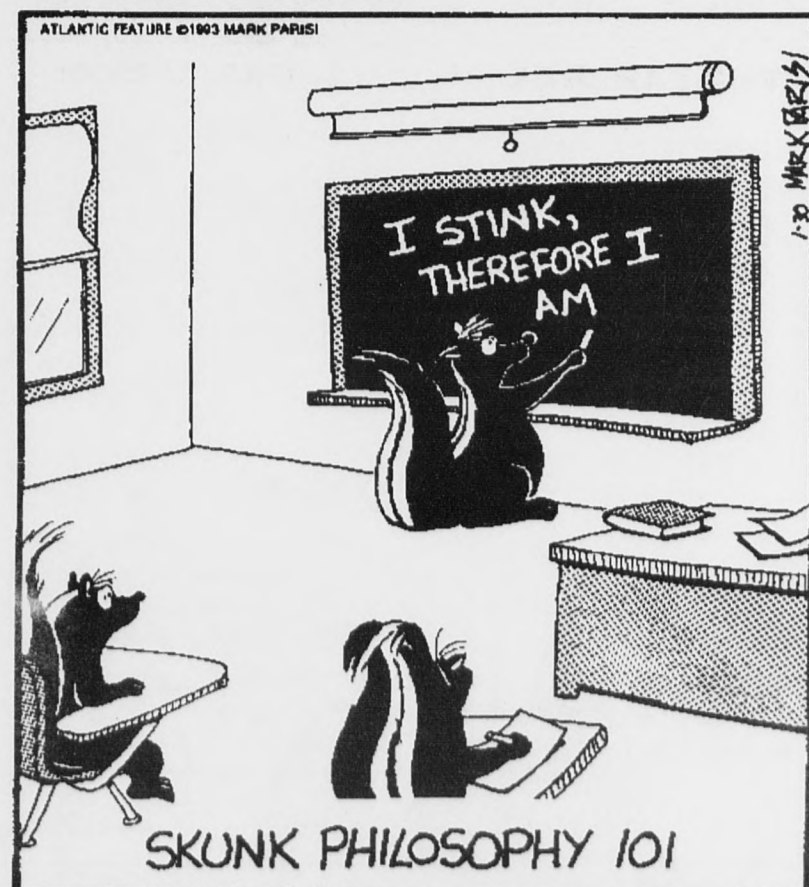
Pisces: (Feb. 19–Mar. 20) I do no favors, and I will not cast myself into death for the comfort of others. I shall remain to serve as an example of what a truly horrible creature man can be.

Ruby Wyner-Io is on vacation in Maui. Surf's up, dudes!

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off the mark

by Mark Parisi

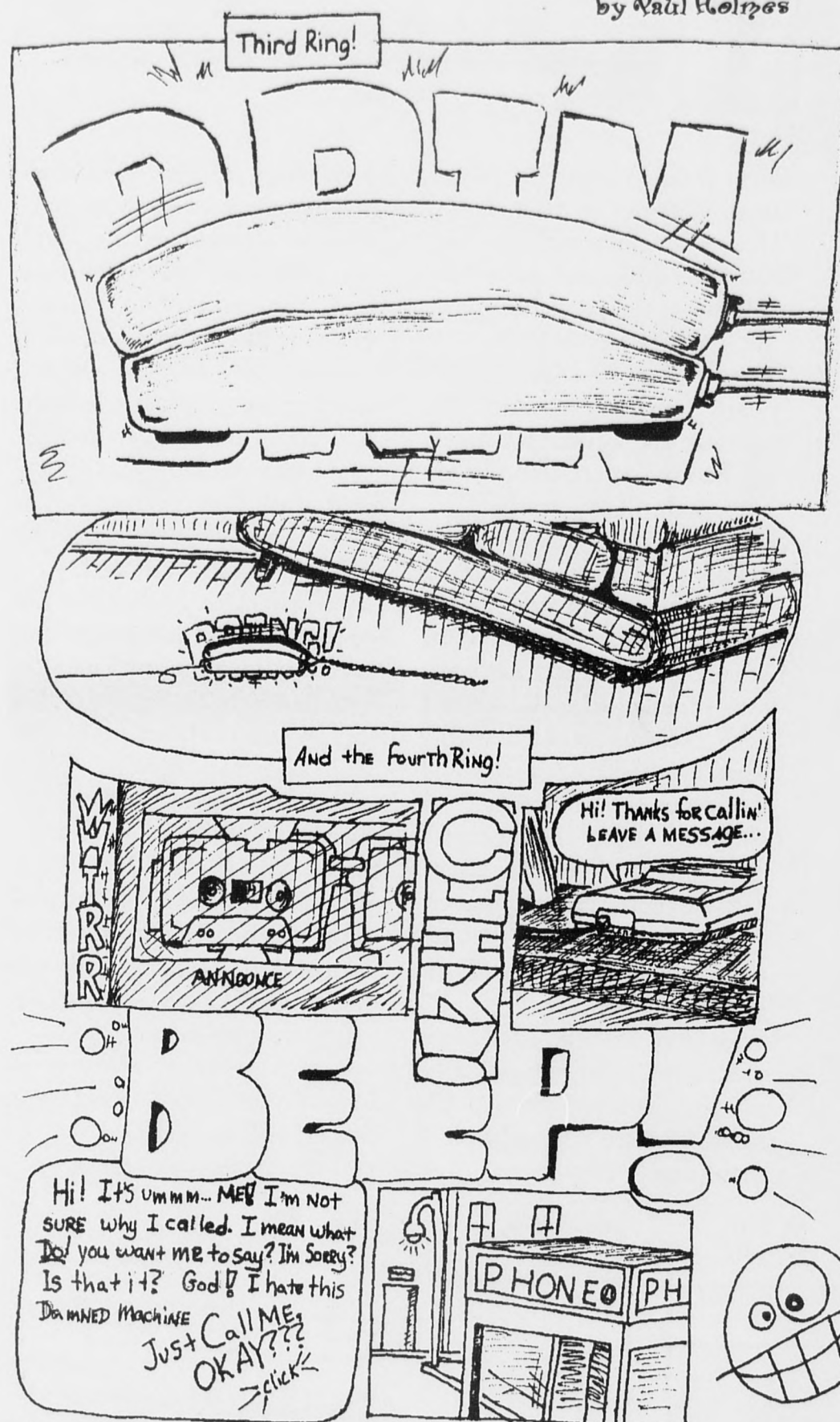


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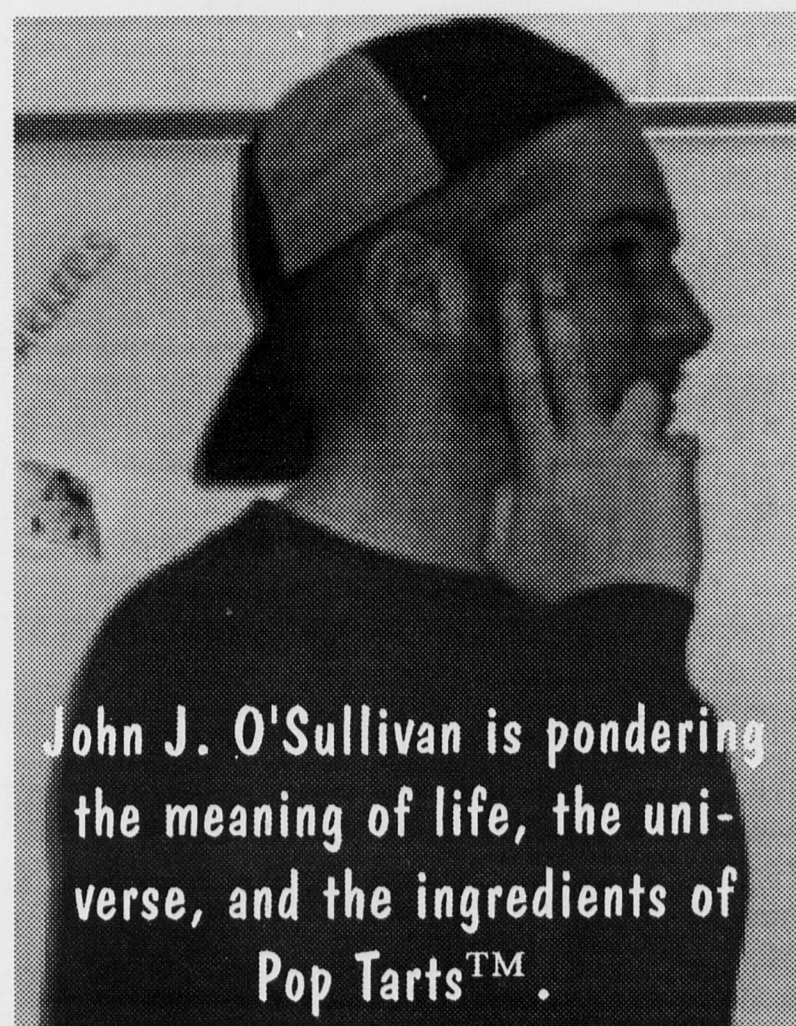
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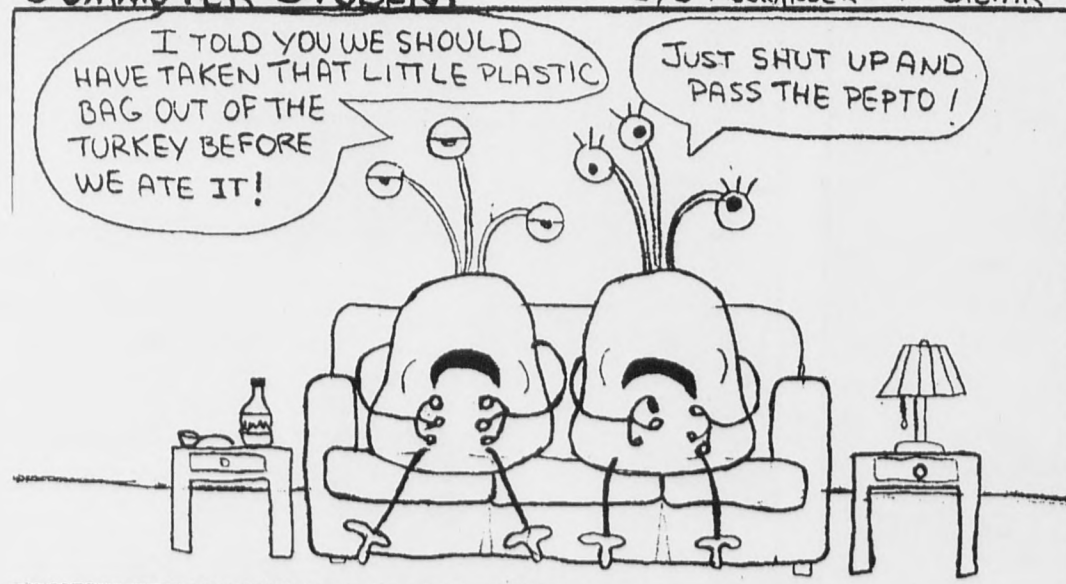
SICKER THAN RALPH!

by Mike O'Leary



COMMUTER STUDENT

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ADAM LOB ANAT
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Theatre of the Absurd!

By John J. O'Sullivan (WRRRROOOONNNGG!!!)

Welcome to McLoughlin Group, an informal discussion of today's headlines. Here is your host...John McLaughlin!

John M: Hello and welcome to....THE McLOUGHLIN GROUP!!! Tonight we have a special show on the....CONFEDERATE FLAG CONTROVERSY!!!! Our panel tonight consists of important people from the MSU scene. We have: Mike Costa, President of the Greek Council, Joe Ellis, President of Delta Kappa Psi, Lee Wilcox, Vice President of Student Affairs, George Calle, Treasurer-in-chief of the MONTCLARION and SGA legislator, John J. O'Sullivan, Comics-Editor-in-chief of the MONTCLARION {I bow to the camera}, and an everyday normal....FROG. {ribbit} The first question of the night....the Confederate flag; what does it stand for? I LEAVE THIS QUESTION TO YOUUUUUUUUU...JJO'S!

JJO'S: Well I think that the flag... WROOOOONNNGGG!! Joe Ellis!

Joe Ellis: The flag has no... WROOOOONNNGGG!!!

George Porgy Mrrrrrruuuu-uummmm Calle!

George Calle: THE WHOLE THING IS.... WRRRROOOOONNNGGG!! The flag has 9 stars, representing each of the Confederate States. And now...What do you think about....the punishment! I leave the question to.....LEE WILCOX!

Lee Wilcox: I think that the punishment.. WRRRROOOOONNNGGG!!

Mikey Mikey Bo Bikey, Bananna Fanna Fo Fanny, Me My Moe Many.....COSTA!

Mike Costa: The punishment from.... WRRR-ROOONNNGGGGGGGG!!!! {To the tune of John Jacob Jingle Heimer Smith} John J. O'Sulllllllivan, his name is my name too!!!!

JJO'S: Punishment is not having my coffee before.... WRRR-ROOONNNGGGGGGGG!!!!

HOW COULD YOU THINK THAT????? IS YOUR HEAD FULL OF SPAM™???? And you.....you everyday normal FROG! What.....IS YOUR OPINION!!!

FROG: Ribbit. Ribbit. Rib.. ABSOLUTELY WRRRRR-ROOONNNGGGGGG!!!! Punishment is the three syllable word.

Lee Wilcox: What does this have to do... WRRRROOONNNGGGGGGGG!!!!

Now, let's go...TO THE PHONES! HELLO, AND WELCOME TO THE SHOW!!!

Caller: Hello, my name is Darryl.. WRRRRRRROOONNNGGGG!!!

Caller: Hey I didn't even get... WRRRRRRROOONNNGGGG!!!

Caller: Bite me in my.... WRRRRRRROOONNNGGGG!!! I will only let you bite me on the arm. What do you think of biting me in my arm? Answer me...George, Fjord, Kitty in the Board CALLE

George Calle: What the hell is going on here??? This... WRRRROOONNNGGGG!! Johnny J. O'Sullivan Mulligan Fulligan Dulligan O!

JJO'S: Hmmm....I guess I'm wrong when I say..... WRRRROOONNNGGGG!!

JJO'S: Then I guess I'm right... MUHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!!!! WRRRROOONNNGGGG..... err..... RIIIGGGGGGGGHT...no... WRRR-ROOONNNGGGGGG... RIGHT? WRONG? RIGHT? WRONG? ARRRRRRRRRRRGGGGGGGGHH-HHHHHHHHHH!!!!!!!!!!!! {John McLoughlin's head blows up.}

JJO'S: Um...um....Hey, you guys want to get some coffee?

Frog: Ribbit.

John J. O'Sullivan is the best fly-fisherman in.... WROOONNNGGGGGG!!!

John, calm down... WROOONNNGGGGGG!

Never mind.



CANDICE SPEAKS!

By Candice Meyer

Well I was so negative last week that I must redeem myself by wishing everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is a strange plastic holiday with all the empty family niceties and awkwardness, and plastic forks that one begins to wonder whether they are at a festive union or a funeral of some long forgotten uncle. Personally, I had an excellent Thanksgiving dinner because it was my first vegetarian feast. So naturally what follows, but a topic:

TOP 10 REASONS TO BECOME A VEGETARIAN:

10. 60 million people could be adequately fed by the grain saved if Americans reduced their dead carcass feasts by 10%.
9. 76% of Americans label themselves Environmentalists.
8. More than 50% of water pollution can be linked to wastes from the livestock industry.
7. Roast beef gets stuck between your teeth.
6. The average amount of water required daily to feed a person on a vegan diet: 300 gallons.
5. The average amount of water required daily to feed a person on a ovo-lacto-vegetarian diet: 1200 gallons.
4. The average amount of water required daily to feed a person on the standard US meat & potatoes diet: 4,200 gallons.
3. 55 square feet of Central American rain forest is destroyed for every hamburger produced from livestock.
2. Chicken bones kill.
1. More than 50% of tropical rain forest deforestation is directly linked with livestock raising.

(Above statistics were distributed by New Jersey Animal Rights Alliance.)

CLIP & SAVE

THE BLONDE CARD™

This card certifies that _____ is technically blonde and prone to certain stupid mistakes, such as: 1) Locking one's keys in one's car, 2) Counting on one's fingers, 3) Forgetting where one parked at one mall, at least one time, 4) Watching Rush Limbaugh, or any other stupid act. If this person does something stupid, please excuse him/her, since he/she just can't help it; he/she is blonde.

X _____

Dan Quayle, President of the Blond Card Ins. Agency.

Personals

Teddy (T Phi B), I don't kiss 'n' tell.
Christine (Phi Sig)

Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority Inc.
"Keeping the dream of our founding mothers alive and well since 1975"

To the Sisters of Lambda Theta Alpha, Latin Sorority Inc.,
It's a "Nu Attitude" Thing, You know what's up!
Love, Linny #5

To everyone who picked the Vikings because of my Prediction, I
am sorry.
Sponge

To the Interest Ladies of Lambda Theta Alpha,
If you ladies know what you want, and it's truly in your hearts,
there is no need to give an explanation. Who cares what
others say or think. It's all about you!
Love, Linnette (Lambda Lady)

Eric Cobb,
You're my dream boy!
-Kelly

Turtle you gotta put the cat out.

Cinque, can I taste your mouthwash?
-Maribel

Cinque,
I'm glad you got Buddy back.
-Maribel

Kelly loves Clownia!

Two forties of ice 800, a bag of salt 'n vinegar potato chips
and menace II society. Oh what a night!

Vinay,
I like you but you ignore me, so shut up.
-You know who.

Liz,
My Cuban sister. I love you.
-Cheryl

Carlton,
Did that pillow kiss good?
-Kelly.

Lambda Theta Alpha,
Since 1975 we have been spreading the message, "Unity, Love
& Respect". That's what it's all about!

To all my Lambda Sisters,
I love you ladies, I could not have asked for greater sisters.
Maybe we're not blood, but we sure are a family in every sense
of the word!
Love, your sister Linnette

To the Interest Ladies of Lambda Theta Alpha,
You girls are doing a great job, keep making us proud!
Love, the sisters of Lambda Theta Alpha

To the Interest Ladies of Lambda Theta Alpha,
If the ignorance and nonsense keeps up with "you know who",
just tell them to stop sweatin and walk away!
Love, Linny (Lambda Lady)

Krissy (TS)
Follow the yellow brick road!! (Hae hee)
Luv, Kris

Glenn (ZBT)
I honestly don't know what happened, that's 2 weeks in a row,
I think it's a conspiracy.
-Sponge

Karen
Here is the personal you have always wanted!
Love, Linnette

Yearbook office,
Thank you for the use of your fax
-LASO

Jen V. (TS)
#1 Little, got psyched for the formal! We are going to have a
BLAST!!
Luv, your Big Kris.

Madelyn (Tri-Sigma):
Congrats on the E-Board! I'm so proud of you! Your the best
little ever.
I love you! Your Big, Donna!

Kathy (Tri Sigma):
Congratulations! You are the best addition to our family. All
your hard work has paid off. I love you!
Your Big Big,
Donna

Tri-Sigma: Cancun bound Spring Break

Tri-Sigma: Get psyched for the formal

Wanna-be (Tri Sigma)
If they only knew our signs! Going to Mexico-oh
I love you!
The other wanna-be!

Petsy, Iggy and Hottets - F*** A.C., Vegas here we come!
Love, Corey and Tray.

Don't be a square!

I still haven't found what I'm looking for...

Tri-Sig,
You were lots of fun at the mixer. We look forward to future
mixers—Yeah maybe in the year 2000!! Don't stay out past
midnight!
-Captain Senate

The two most beautiful girls on campus are the C-Store girls,
and we would like to hang out with you before the semester is
over.
-Your buddies

Jeff (Delta Kappa Psi)
It was great. Let's do it again!

Chachi (Delta Kappa Psi)
AGAIN! We're gonna give you "Most Likely to Succeed". You
guys are hot blooded playboys.

Lisa & Rose Ann (Phi Sig)
If the "boys" wanted to go to a rodeo - they could have just
asked!
Love, Carolina

To the Sisters of Phi Sigma Sigma:
Thank you for making my last formal the best one!
Love, Trish

L- Bottom line, the fat lady didn't sing yet!
Peace, T-C

Hi Gregg,
Thanks for listening to my problems!
-Wendy

To Sal Anderton,
Stay strong!! Don't Stress!!
-JJO'S

Allen (Theta Xi),
Are you EVER free?!!

To the sisters of Tri-Sigma,
Thanks so much for all your help! I luv you!
-Wendy #79

T Phi B:
You guys were less than obedient servants, but that's okay.
Who stole all of the condoms?
Love, the "masters" of Phi Sigma Sigma

Phi Sigma Sigma:
Don't scrub the crest!
Love, Caroline

Kadija,
Please, please, please turn your phone on!!! Scotter is trying
to reach you.

David Glovin,
Reporter for the Record,
The daily paper for Bergen and Passaic Counties,
will speak on

Covering Crime, Corruption, and the Courts

Monday, December 5, 1994
11 a.m. Room 419, Student Center

Petsy, Iggy & Mike (AXP) - So I hear it's hunting season,
good luck!

KB - Glassboro here I come!
Love, Tray

I am still looking and I can't find it!

There is a lot of protein in that!!

L- Reality bites. So bite back! T-C

Manning (AIX) - I lost at A.C. but I hear you got lucky!

L-
Roxanne! Peace, T-C

2 Bowls plus 2 bowls and what a trip!

L- Have you seen my tambourine? Trip...jingle! Peace, T-C

I like Pina Colada's and getting caught in the rain, a hit from
a fatty cause it f***** with my brain.

All I can think about right at this moment is Reddi-Whip™.

Lauren (AO) -
Have fun at your formal. Call us when you get "home", the
answering machine will be waiting to hear from you! Love us.

L- "That weekend" so close but yet so far, I feel like
everything is right here, but it's really over there! Peace, T-C

L- We will get "there", as long as we don't stay "here"! But,
are you here or there? I'm here! T-C

John, Russ (The Cooks) If you guys spent more time cooking
then flirting, you would get the job done.
Your best girls.

To the Sigma Psi Phi Pledges,
Looking good, stay strong, I love you guys.
-A friend

Nel,
This weekend lets chill!
-Babe

Lauren (AO) Thanx for truly understanding me, my quiet side.
Not many people really do. Tray-C

Millie,
You got a slamming body, too bad it's so small. Stay strong
Boo.
Love, a commuting admirer

Mel,
On the night of the winter ball, I hope you have fun in the
forest. Just don't get lost in its darkness.
Mich.

To all Phi Sigma Pi brothers,
We're gonna rock at Convention 1994!

Tony G. and Patty:
Let's dance till we Drop at Winter Ball! AND let's get
smashed!

To Personality #153
BORK! BORK! Dónde esta el skirtó en el greeno?
WHATEVER!
-The Donut Hut Slut

Kelly Lang (D Phi E) Thanks for the Nord Award, I know I
more than deserved it! Luv Ya! AH 117

Tracey (D Phi E Pledge) Do you smell mothballs? Love your
big AH 117

To Kay,
Congratulations! You made it, with my help of course. But
nevertheless you did it! Love you, your big Carlos (AKPsi)

Frank, you're in AXP, you are so cool.

NEB: STOP FLIRTING!
-Sandy

Chrissie & Bryson & Tania (AIX) #1's forever!

Big Ida,
All we have to say is - O! We Luv You!
Clueless, Froggy, Camel, Sourcrema, Waddles,
Pushpop & Sandra

Jessica (D Phi E)
Can't wait for winter ball! I bet your date is there!
Love, your Big.

Ahhh, Check!!!

John J. O'Sullivan's hands are becoming SKELETONS!!!!

D.D. (SDT)
From one crack baby to another. It's nice to know there are
cool girls out there. We have got to hang out!
Chris (AKPsi)

Walko-
I'm so happy that we had such a wonderful time together on
Saturday. Thank you for letting me be part of it! I love you!
Your "G"

HAPPY (belated) BIRTHDAY DARREN!!! You are the
greatest friend!
Love, Patty

Semaj
I'm sorry that I apologized to Ricky but I knew that you were
going to BEAT him down....
—Hope

Dawn Marie (Bart)
Cheer up! There's always coffee talk! Discuss!
-Nik (Ernie)

Lisa T. (Blanton)
Drop that Latin lover J.M.! Keep your curtains open so I can
admire you from the Cafe.
Your Secret Admirer

Cindy (D Phi E)
Formal was great! Can't wait til' Winter Ball!
Love, Your Roommate!

P.C. BLOWS!!! Is this still America?

To Cindy Frish - The Theta Class of Phi Sigma Pi -
Congratulations - you left 'em in the dust!
-Al #137

Missy,
Congratulations! The Winter Ball was a great success. At
least this year we went home with our own dates.
-Mich

More Personals

Mike R. in CLUB, you are wanted.

Danny (AKPsi)
DON'T SMILE!!!
-Jimmie

Trick,
Since you returned the tape, you passed the test with an "A".

Tri Sig Pledges,
Give me my underwear back! Smooch (T Phi B)

Eta Class - T Phi B, Congratulations! -Unit

Vega - Smoke up Johnny -
Big Brother Puck.

Theresa (AIX) Congratulations on your new sisterhood!

Puck is KING!

All Bulls - GET NAKED

Don't forget - no matter what happens - good or bad, you should always hang your brains.

UPS RULES!!

Alpha Omega is cool.

Stinky - The 50 line is white, do you think we could sniff that? -Kurt

Mu Sigma Upsilon - you guys ROCK - Mu Dog

Hey Montclair - Get Fucked!

Hey Solo - Get Bent!

Ross, you skunked us, you dirty rat! -2c17

Tri Sig Zeta Class - Congratulations to my new sisters. You guys are the best! Luv, Linda ZK71

Gina Mane (Tri Sigma)
Congratulations Little. You are the Best Little Ever!
Sigma Love, Linda ZK71

Maria is a diva!

Happy B-Day Raheem!
Luv, Maria

Personals are the work of the Anti-Christ.

Stephanie -
Do you have any fruit roll-ups?
Love, Fafi's roommate.

To Nathan Bonifant,
Stay strong, don't stress.
-JJO'S

To Cathy,
Do you take pladging for Sigma Psi Phi so seriously that you can't even call your own boyfriend? I hope that country shit doesn't brainwash you C-ROCK!
Love, David.

Yoyo (AKPsi),
I'm so proud of you Little! You were the best pledge!
-Jimmy

Taus,
We are definitely "Invincible!!"
AIX T-158

Nagda,
Stay strong girl, you're gonna make it this time Ms. Puerto Rico!
Love, your mother.

Missy,
Who will be our next victim on the "wall of shame?"
-Mich

In the first stage there were 15 individuals seeking the knowledge of AKPsi. After the final stage, there stood 10 people that became one and found that knowledge. I can truly

call you my brothers.
Love, Mor - "V"

To my slave, Teddy (T Phi B),
Thanks for making my bad back even worse. You still owe me 10 more minutes. Practice makes perfect!
Love, Cari (Phi Sig)
PS I'm glad I had you as my condom partner. You are the best!

TX - Get ready for a long meeting on Sunday.
-Goofy

Yoyo (AKPsi)
So how were the cupcakes?
-Jimmy

To Kathy (Tri Sig)
You're the best. Just wanted to let you know - You have the Best Twin. Congratulations.
Love, Linda

To Tina (AO)
Thanks for the merits! STOP ignoring me! Love you lotz,
Love, your little

Kay (AKPsi),
I am so proud of you! There's only one problem...When are we going drinking?
Love ya, Christina

Eileen (AIX) Thanx for the Tues. Night Shuttle! We love ya!
-The Drunks

To AIX (Kristen)
You were such a sweetheart during pledging. Thanks for the "Garment" you gave me. I'll try to get it back for you. Keep Dancing.
Love, Vic (T Phi B)

Allison (Tri Sigma)
Take it while its hot, baby!
Love, You Know Who

Go Chrissie, it's your Birthday!

Joe and Eddie (T Phi B) - Next time try to make it to the bathroom, okay? Phi Sig #91

4 Walls Poetry and Jazz Band, Dec. 1, in the Ratt. Also, come see Maria and Nora 'get nekked!'

Dena AH 134 (D Phi E)
1. The longer you know someone, the ruder you are to them.
2. I hate everyone.
3. This is not my life.
4. I have no money.
Love, Scarlet AH 134

Boner (AXP)
Thanks for being a great semi-date, even though we were one of the sloppiest couples there and can't remember much!
-Sandy

Stoner (SDT)
Are you happy? I'm happy if you're happy! Greenday forever!
Love, Beavis

Frank (AXP) - SHUT UP!

Kristie (SDT) - Hi Spuds!!
Love, Sandy (the one who wants your award next year)

Jaimie (SDT) I'm sooo happy we got along at semi, and you didn't slap me across the face!!
-Sandy

Brian,
OK I'll see you at the oo-op prep seminar on Monday, November 28, at 2-3:15 in Room 209 SCA.
Susan

Nichole -
Did you enjoy the poem? I meant every word of it.
Casanot

Nichole,
When are we getting together?
C-29

Theta Xi,
Guys can't wait to see all of y'all at the holiday dinner Dec. 3.
Gamma Mu 29

Tray (AIX) It was so funny we had to run to the bathroom. Too bad, we can't remember why! Chrissie (AIX)

December 2, 1994 - Tri Sigma Formal!

Eileen (AIX) - Happy 21st pseudo little - that is the most disgusting thing I've ever heard - you were a mess
Michelle #123

Jen (D Phi E Pledge),
You're doing a great job, Little. I'm very proud of you. Its almost over, so keep your chin up. Just remember that I'm here for you and I love you! Love, your Big

Puddin' Head Sr.,
I hope you score some goals on the field.
Puddin' Head Jr.

To Sister Lauren (#160)
To lucky "seven" Congratulations on becoming a sister. I knew you could do it. You really stayed strong considering all the bad things that happened to you. You are really fun to hang out with and we have to get together again. Congrats!
Love, Hazel Eyes.

Angelina (D Phi E) You looked hot coming out of the pool soaking wet at Winter Ball.

Fall 93 (LTO),
I miss & love you all. Let's get together soon.
Cindy (LTO)

Frank, Biff, Ralph (AXP) - Thanks for coming to the party! Hope you had fun!
Chrissie & Michelle (AIX)

To AIX #154,
Thanks for all that you have done. You helped me out a lot during pledging. From one perfect 10 to another, I owe you dinner.
#46 (T Phi B)

AIX N132
I'm so happy you're my Big. I love you and know we're gonna have great times together!
Love, your little AIX T158

Buzz (Bulls), Stop asking Sigmas who I am!!! My sisters will never tell and I'm too shy to tell you myself.
-Interested

Sigma Delta Phi, WE LOVE YOU!
-Gamma Psi

Rachel (Phi Sig) want some coffee!?!?

I HATE PERSONALS!

repmuht-
Got you this time!
ytowT

IHOP! IHOP! IHOP!

Teddy (T Phi B)
Sorry we won't be dining this week. Keep the reservations for next week - the quiet table in the back corner!
-Your Dinner Partner

Dallas (T Phi B)
Call me! Orders from your master!

Hey Bulls - where did you learn your alphabet?

The slave/master thing works real good.

Hey roomie - I miss our late nite talks, we need more - God

Caroline - I definitely think you need the brain in order to write all those papers but let me finish my project first.
-Jennifer

Thumper-
Yes - our dates were on time, without the flowers and a wet

shirt but they were on time!
-Tweety

PHI SIGMA SIGMA!

Thumper-
What obedience school did your date attend? (Ha! Ha!)
Tweety

Happy Birthday Camilla!

Nasfuratu Que FOH!

Mike Costa
I hope you get the votes that you wanted from this trial.
Wayfarer

Torquecosta the inquisitor.

Cassio (Phi Sig)
Keep to the left! Thanks for everything!
IPSL, Christine

Nina, Ann Marie, Nicole and Christine (Phi Sig)
Thank you all for getting me out of something I would have regretted. I'm so happy you were there for me. Sisters Forever!
IPSL, Christine

Wendy,
You deserve an Academy Award! Step away from the bad news - Thanks for pushing me to do it!
Love, your Roommate

Eddie,
What the Hell?? No, wrong answer, thanks for playing! Maybe next time, then again, maybe NOT!
From a friend.

To all of my Sisters of Phi Sigma Sigma,
Sapphire Ball 1994 - "Oh what a night!" You guys are the best!
IPSL, Cari #101

AIX T161 & 162,
I think we need to take a bus ride to NJIT!
-AIX 158

To the Zeta Class of Sigma Sigma Sigma,
Kathy, did you find your ID?
Wendy Thomas got out of the tub!
Lori, please don't be disappointed.
Heather got off the table.
Gina Marie you crazy dancer!
Kirsten keep smiling while you hurl.
Love, Emily
(PS CONGRATS!)

Alison (Tri Sigma) -
Just wanted to let you know that you're the sexiest violet sister!
Luv, Linda

Bryson (AIX) - Thanks for listening. Everything will be OK. I love you! Love, your little.

Evette (SPP)
You've got the sexiest pair of lips in this world.
-Dee Bushwick

Evil (152) AIX
Romeo, O Romeo, where art thou Caesar Salad Kit? There's a dagger in the sky coming towards me screaming "Sweet Potatoes!"
Love, Good (156 AIX)

I don't know about the rest of you guys, but I really didn't understand the last personal, although I did think it was cool.
-JJO'S

Erin,
STUBAR! A bathroom floor. What?
Love, Lauren (AIX)

To all of my new sisters (AIX),
I love you! I am so proud the six of you pledged and became Sisters. I hope you learned for yourself that "it is always darkest before the dawn."
Love, Lauren 156 (AIX)

Bryson (Aunt Aunt)
Were are our personals?
Love, the Twins of Judy Chidiac Tree (AIX)

Zorro (TKE),

Even More Personals

"It's always darkest before the dawn."
Lauren (AIX)

152 (AIX),
I have a surprise for you: Dan's roommate.
156 (AIX)
PS Don't talk his ear off.

To all of the new TKE Brothers,
Congratulations! You guys are crazy. I am so proud of you.
Love, Lauren (AIX)

Christine (158 AIX)
Don't look now I see a major dog. You are so funny.
Lauren 156 (AIX)

Amy (D Phi E)
The biggest nerd in D Phi E. You deserve your award.
Congrats!
Luvifa (AH 104)

Michelle (D Phi E)
I'm happy you & Shenk are the happy couple. You found a nice
guy...FINALLY! Who's mine?
Luv ya, your ex-boyfriend, AH 104

Shaheen (Blanton)
Roses are Red
Violets are Blue
They both are beautiful
Just like you.
-Secret Admirer

Vic of T Phi B,
You can still wear your camos and call us sir.

Toni of D Phi E, make your pledges greet me.
Jeff (T Phi B)

AIX - Congrats to the Tau Pledge Class, you guys did great!!!
Michelle #123

pathetic, pathetic, pathetic

Frank (AXP)
Who let the monkey out of the zoo-Saturday night?
Michelle & Chrissie (AIX)

Solo,
Thank for backing me all the way through. Pretty soon we
gotta pack a Garcia Vega with the finest wacky tobacco!
Peace, VEGA

Keep hangin those veiny brains Puck. It's healthy, a real
crowd pleaser, and it shows your sensitive side.
VEGA

Mich - If only they knew a year ago what we know now. Just
think that could be me next year!
-Mel

Tracy & Gina (Tri Sig)
We have the best Family! "The terrific trio"
Love, Linda

Sean and Chris (Delta)
We had a great time on Saturday, but just one question —
how did they fit so much cheese in one place?
Love, your little cheese muffins.

L - It's time to evaluate the situation. Evaluation complete,
this sucks! T-C

Kathy (Sigma) - The crew is 2 for 3! -Eloni

Alan (ZBT) - I love Pantera - Eloni

Sandy (Sigma Psi Phi)
Thanks for being a great friend & always being there.
Cindy (LTO)

Cindy-
When are we going on another tour of Clifton? Maybe next
time someone else will come with us! Hopefully!
-Chrissy

Green (Sigma) 2:00am, downstairs in the hotel, by the pool.
You, me and those special read panties.
(? Deltz)

T Phi B - We had a great time at the mixer! Let's do it again
soon, but we'll be the slaves!
-Phi Sig

Joanne and Natalie (Sigma) - LITTLE GARY LOVES YOU!!!!

Skooter (Theta Xi) - Thanks for all of the help! You're the
best big!
-G.J.

Tania, Kristen & Tricia (AIX)
Thanks for all of the "pledge tips"! Now we can really party!
-Steve (Theta Xi)

Noreen (AIX)-
Let's play ball! It's your turn at bat!
-Steve (Theta Xi)

To the Iota Class of Theta Xi-
Ha Ay Ah A Ay Ya Ooh Wah
o wah Ah O Ah ay ya!
-G.J.

Rowinski (Theta Xi)-
May Clyde rest in peace!
-Iota Class

Johnny O. (Theta Xi)
Thank for all the help and support!
Your little, Allen (Magoon)

Wendy (Tri Sigma)
Congrats to you and the Zeta Class of Tri-Sigma. You've
earned it, let's party!
-Allen (Theta Xi)

Gidget (Alpha Omega),
I still love you, but where the hell is our dinner for sowing for
Homecoming.
Allen and Steve (Theta Xi)

Theta Kappa Chi,
Our mixer with you kicked ass! Our next one will be even
better!
-Allen (Theta Xi)

Lambda Tau Omega
Happy Anniversary to the Forosa line. Four years and still
rolling. C4: only three more years to go.

Steve, Luis, Andy, Jason, & Joey
Wow! You did it! Congrats to the new TKE brothers
Love, Vernio

Congrats to the new officers of Tri-Sigma! I can't wait to work
with each of you! Let's make our sisters proud!
Love, Sandra

Alicia M. (Sigma)
Delta's the way to go for semi!!
(Your little Delta sweetie)

Lynn (Sigma)
You are the shit dude! Thanks for taking the initiative and
playing a great game with us.
Love ya! Melissa

Tami
We invite you to discuss "Tim, Dark One" at the Women's
Student Organization Meeting on Mondays, 3:30 p.m. Rm.
422 of the Student Center
WSO

Manning (AIX)
When the kittens are away, the Big Daddy will play!
Love, "The apartment" squared.

Melissa (Sigma)
Who's the Daddy, girly girl?

JJO'S
How many personals until you go crazy or have you already? I
think you have.
Chrissy (D-Xi-D)

The Diane Webster Tree Kicks Ass!
Right, Christine, Kristina, & Lauren?
Love, 154

Doc's is the shit, dude!

Pile (Delta)
You passed out at Cocktail, hope you're man enough at semi.
Sigma

Cindy (#29)
Aren't teeny boppers supposed to be in bed by 11? Being!
Love, Chrissy (#30)

To Chris & Carlos (AKPsi)
I love you guys so much! Thanks for always being there for
me!!
Love always, your little

(SDT) Godchildren
Keep up a good fight! Stay Strong.
Love, Godmother

(SDT) Tammy
Moms Forever
-V"

(AKPsi) Alpha Upsilon
You all did a good job. Welcome to Brotherhood.
Joe B. & "V"

(AKPsi) Mike B.
Had a great time. Nice Fork.
-V"

Elizabeth (Sigma)
You are the best big I could ever ask for. You've done so much
for me and had a great hand in molding the sister I have
become. I love you!
Love, your "little cherub"

Allyson (Sigma)
Glad we're in Greek Council together...Love you!
Melissa

To the AKPsi Brothers,
Thank you for this great feeling. I'm so proud and happy to be
a part of this family!
Love, Brother Kay

To TMOD
The Congrats are a little premature but thanks anyway!
Love, Celia

To Stacy (Tri Sigma)
I've been watching you. When will you start watching me?
Love, ?

To the "Elite" Tri-Sigma Family-
Jill H., Michelle, and Shawn, I love you all so much! Thanks
for always being there for me!
Love always, Sandra

Dingo (Bulls)
I never thought anyone could make my dreams come true but
last night you proved me wrong. I think I'm falling for you.
Love, you know who

To Sam (Alpha Upsilon)
You'll always be a part of us. We are united together, all 11
of us!
Love your pledgemates

To the littlest Wendy!
Congrats on becoming a sister,
Love, Emily

To Vic (Tau Phi Beta)
Congrats- keep smilin'! It's nice to look at!
Love, ?

To the newest members of Sigma Sigma Sigma
Congrats- you did a great job.

To Yin
Told you so! Just chill! out boy!
Love, Yang

Congrats Gamma Psi!!

We love you and are very proud!!
Love, your Sigma sisters

The Bethwood in "93"! One formal I will never forget. The
Sheraton Tara is NOT worth mentioning!! Cheezy!!

Vic (T-Phi-B)
You better treat my little like gold or else you'll answer to me!

To the Game Room Crew
Shot any good pool lately? I hope you guys haven't broken the
fooseball table yet! Wish me luck!
Love, Celia

Donna B (Tri-Sigma)
Just wanted to say "Hi"!!
Love, Your "wanna be"

Congrats to the Zeta class of Tri-Sigma! We love you!!
ZK #64

Beta class (Tri-Sigma)
I miss you guys! We must all hang out soon!
Love, ZK #64

To the new AIX sisters
Congrats. I know you guys could do it. I'm so proud of you. We
have to party now.
Love, The new T-Phi-B Brothers

Biff (AXP)
Sorry you missed curfew on Sat! Talk to your mom, maybe
she'll increase it past 11 next time!
Chrissie & Michelle (AIX)

Dave O (T-Phi-B)
If my boyfriend ever sees that personal, we're both dead, then
you'll really never be with me!
Tania (AIX)

Chrissie (AIX)
Remember I'm always here for you. I love you!!
Love. your big #23

Tables 1 and 2 Winter Ball
Oh what a drunk night it was. Have fun!!
Michelle AIX #123

To Alpha Upsilon AKPsi
Congrats! You all deserve the best!
Jimmy

"Gameover" Just remember, I ALWAYS got the LAST hit!
Love, trouble

Vic,
My cookies, my cookies, my cookies.
Joel

Sandy (MAB)
You're doing a great job with Latin Month, keep up the good
work.
Love Yosi (Sigma Psi Phi Inc.)

Sandy
I went crazy looking for your Power Ranger Stress Reliever. I
couldn't find it so I had to get you the teddy bear stress
reliever. I hope you liked it.
Love, Yosi

Dana (TS)
You are the best big! I can't wait until the formal. Say
goodbye to the two family members on the E-Board!!
Love, your little Kris

Chrissie (AIX)
Let's lay it all on the table!

Confusion is a mass of insecurities.

You got that out of a fortune cookie, didn't you?

Corey & Jobs
Glad to see the curtain was opened! One mind eraser for me!
Tray-C

Iggy (AXP)
Just one thing, how many spaces are there after a period?

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I hear about Trivia Pursuit, I see connect four, I see Jenga- what happened to UNO?
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Sandra (Tri-Sigma)
Congrats, little! I am so proud of you and I love you very much. I know you'll do a great job as president.
Love your big 4-ever, Michelle

Em & Jenn (Tri-Sigma)
Congrats, roomless! I know you'll both do great! I love you guys!
Love, Michelle

Congrats to the new officers of Tri-Sigma- Sandra, Jenn, Emily, Tiffany, Sara, & Madalyn. We love you guys!
Love, your sisters

Jim,
The two oz. of gel you put in your hair turns me on you guide.
Love, Krissy

Nick (Delta Chi Pledge)
Good Luck! Hang in there!
Love, Colia

Don't Stress John J O'Sullivan!!! Stay Strong!! Remember I love you!!!!

Valerie (Sigma)
Here's your personal! We don't spend enough time together- I love you!
Melissa

Sigma
Can't wait until Semi! It is gonna be the best one ever!
Love ya guys! Lisa

To the brothers of AKPsi,
Walk behind me!
Love, Pledge Yang

Emily (Tri-Sig)
We tried to bring home some cheese for you, but the cheese police were on our tails and we couldn't get past the cheese detectors at the door. Maybe next year!
Love, Michelle & Lynn

WHAT!!!!!!!!!!!!

Jessica (D-Phi-E)
To the coolest mistress ever- thanks for being so awesome- your little NU's love you!

Para mi flaco, Miguel (LTP) To amo mucho. 11-8-91 y para siempre.
Tu Gorda, Cindye (LTO)

Eileen, Michelle, Christy, Chrissie- (AIX) Wed. night- 5 minutes to 11 so everybody buy a round- 2 hands wasn't enough!!
Bryson

Laureen (AIX- 160)
Hey little! Maybe your number isn't a perfect 10, but at least it's a lumpy, oops! Lucky #7! I love you to death!
Your Big, #154

Jason (T-Phi-B)
I hope you enjoyed the glue. It hurt me as much as it hurt you.
Your mistress Jessica (Phi Sigma Sigma)

T-Phi-B, WOW!
Phi Sigma Sigma

Kurt (T-Phi-B)
They just don't make tables like they used to!
Love, Phi Sig #101

To my honey,
Thanks for being the best girlfriend any man could ever dream of.
All my love,
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To Alpha Upsilon (AKPsi)
We made it- BROTHERS!
Love your pledgemate- Kay

Sandra (TS)
Twin!! I'm going to miss sitting next to you. Congrats! You are the best!!
Love, Kris

Synclair
I really don't know what to write but I didn't want to leave you out. Aw who does said that!
Max

Eleni (Sigma)
Let's get high, that's all!
Kathy

To the new officers of Sigma Sigma Sigma. It's going to be a great new year
Love, Emily

Bryanne (Sigma)
I love hanging out with you, I love sharing good and bad times, I love looking out for you, I love having someone to love as much as I love you. I love you little!
Love, your big Kathy

Kevin (sonate)
I'm so glad Megan is out of the picture. Now I won't feel guilty when we hook up. I'm looking forward to our first encounter. Let's go crazy!
Love, you'll find out

Anyone for a swim?

Joe (Delta)
I'm still waiting. . . .

Ralph (T-Phi-B)
I had fun petting the dog with you!
Phi Sig #91

Michelle (Tri-Sig)
Did you take that cheese platter home with you?
Love, Lynn (D-Phi-E)

To Rich (TKE)
I love your smile!
Love your secret admirer

To Christa, Barbara, Donna, and Jodie,
You're the best girls in the caf.

To the Alphanians,
Congrats! I'm proud of you guys! Wish me luck!
Love, Colia
P.S. I'm not giving up!

Rick,
Should I expect anymore 3 a.m. wake-up calls?

Mayra, Caqui & Poo Poo
Guess Who?

Stacy (Sigma)
I love you soooo much (even if we do argue sometimes)!
love, Melissa

Lipper
Seen any good movies lately? Boing!
Chrissy

Eileen (AIX)
Happy Birthday! That is the most disgusting thing I've ever seen!
Love, Chrissie (AIX)

Buzz
I have your lighter!
Eleni

Gamma Psi (Sigma)
Glad to see you guys at Kappa Theta Kappa- you guys help keep our relationship with them alive!
Love, Sigma

Bryanne
Take it I.T.B. Bitts.
Lana

John S. (Theta Xi)
I had a great time at the Sapphire Ball! Sorry we got there a little late! Thanks for everything!
Phi Sigma Sigma #91

Noreen (AIX 152)
Let's go hitchhiking to TKE- NJIT
Love #154

Nob
6'Day Mate! Shrimp on the Barbi!

Is this pile evr going to end? I have been typing for days and days!

Tilly
You know I want you, so come over! 'I'll be waiting!
A secret admirer

Hey, Winter Ball people
How's the water?

Jim,
I love divebombing too!
Love, Kim a.k.a. K.C.

Kenny (ZBT)
You're the Energizer pledge. You keep going and going and going and going and going and going and going and going and going.

Kurt (T-Phi-B)
You're the three-man story telling king!

Puddin' Head Jr.
Tables are turned, I outgrow the one with plastic!
Puddin' Head Sr.

Mich-
Another one to add to the wall of shame! It keeps growing!
Mel

Tania & Chrissie AIX
Go number one's!!
#123

John & Mike
Berry was great, thanks for singing! First snow storm. I'll get you guys back!
Melissa

John S. (Theta Xi)
Want some more peach schnapps? How about some ice water?

To Stacy
Stay strong baby and take care of yourself. Get the best out of life, and call me or write me when you're done pledging Sigma Psi Phi! I love you,
Juan

To all the new brothers of AXP and TKE
Congrats! We're glad you made it through and that we were able to help!
Love you guys, Dalia & Vanessa

To Luis (TKE Fall '94)
Congrats! I knew you could do it, I'm glad you didn't give up. Now start studying will you!
Love your friend & RA Vanessa

To Steve V (AXP Fall '94)
Congrats! I hope to see you more often so we can discuss world problems, yeah right! Anyway, go party your life away. We'll talk in the spring if you're still not partying.
Take care, Love, your neighbor Vanessa

Joel,
I missed you this past weekend. When are we hanging out?
V.C.

Chrissy and Cindy
I love you girls. Don't ever change!
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Thanks for being there for me. I was able to get a lot of things off my chest. . Thanks again.
Jalon (Lambda Theta Phi)

And going and going and going and going and going. . .

Paola
Since I was unable to tuck you in, why not tuck me in!
Jalon (Jesse) Lambda Theta Phi

Has any one realized that Rauol (Lambda Theta Phi) looks like Eric Estrada from C.H.I.P.S. Hmmm!
From . . Us. Lambda Theta Phi

I'm finally finished! Now I can go to sleep!
Tom

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MSU's 78-76 loss a case of an unlucky bounce *Fowler's tip in rolls out at buzzer as men's hoops drops to 0-2*

by Brian Falzarano

Taking advantage of another's missed opportunities is important in winning basketball games. All good teams do it. But it is the one opportunity that MSU could not capitalize upon that left them 78-76 losers to Kean College in an NJAC game at Panzer Gym last Saturday.

With time winding down, forward Travis Pettiford (Red Hawk team high 21 points) missed an off-balance three-pointer. The Cougars (1-2, 1-1 NJAC), who had dominated the boards in the game (46-32), failed to boxout MSU swingman Greg Fowler. After Pettiford's miss, Fowler (15 points, 10 rebounds) was all alone under the basket to tip in Pettiford's miss so that the game could go to overtime. However, his attempt to tie the game rolled in the net, only to come out and give the Red Hawks an 0-2 start to their season.

"I thought we were gonna pull it out," said senior guard Chris Smith, who contributed eight points and five assists in only 19 minutes off of the bench. "Everybody on our team knows we've got the personality and what it takes to pull out games at the end."

"I thought it was in," said Kean center Robert Clyburn of Fowler's tip. Clyburn who came off of the bench and dominated the paint area for the Cougars in the second half, scoring 16 of his game-high 21 points after halftime.

"We were lucky as heck," said Cougar associate coach Nate Webber, who took over for head coach Mike Gatley, who was unable to coach due to illness.

Is MSU's bad start a bad omen?

by Brian Falzarano

Only two games into the 1994-95 season and two conclusions can be made about the MSU men's basketball team: It is inconsistent and it misses Keith Roberts.

Of course these observations are only based on two games. That much is obvious. But Red Hawk lapses for long stretches are obvious reasons why they are 0-2.

There are two examples of these lapses. The first one occurred in the first half. After taking an 11-3 advantage against Kean on Saturday with 14:37 left in the first half, Red Hawk shooters went cold. They missed seven of their next nine shots. Meanwhile, the Cougars went on a 16-4 run to take a 19-15 lead with 9:03 left in the first half.

Then, they blew a five-point lead at the half, allowing Kean's Robert Clyburn

MSU (0-2, 0-2) was also missing their coach, Nick Del Tufo, who was suffering from bronchitis. Despite not having their coach on Saturday afternoon, played solidly in the first half, though, taking a 39-34 lead into the intermission. At one time in the second half, they even led by as many as four points.

But Kean started to take advantage of fast break opportunities while scoring in the paint with a great deal of success. Clyburn, who also had 10 rebounds in his 29 minutes, sparked his squad to a 24-8 run in the middle of the second half that put the Cougars up 73-58 with 6:41 remaining after Ya-Sin Carmichael (eight assists) fed forward Simeon Hibberts for a dunk. During this run, though, MSU was absolutely cold from the field.

Thus, Kean began to go down low even more when they got the Red Hawks in foul trouble. Center Adam Misiejuk had four fouls early in the second half, rendering him useless. Without the 6-foot-10 Misiejuk taking up space in the key, Clyburn and Hibberts combined for 15 points to help the Cougars take control of the game.

"We were able to get much better looks," said the 6-7 Clyburn of not having to go up against Misiejuk, a native of Poland. "I didn't have to maneuver as much."

"Once we went down," said Rebimbas, "we couldn't afford to have him in there because we were looking to pressure more and get some turnovers, which we did."

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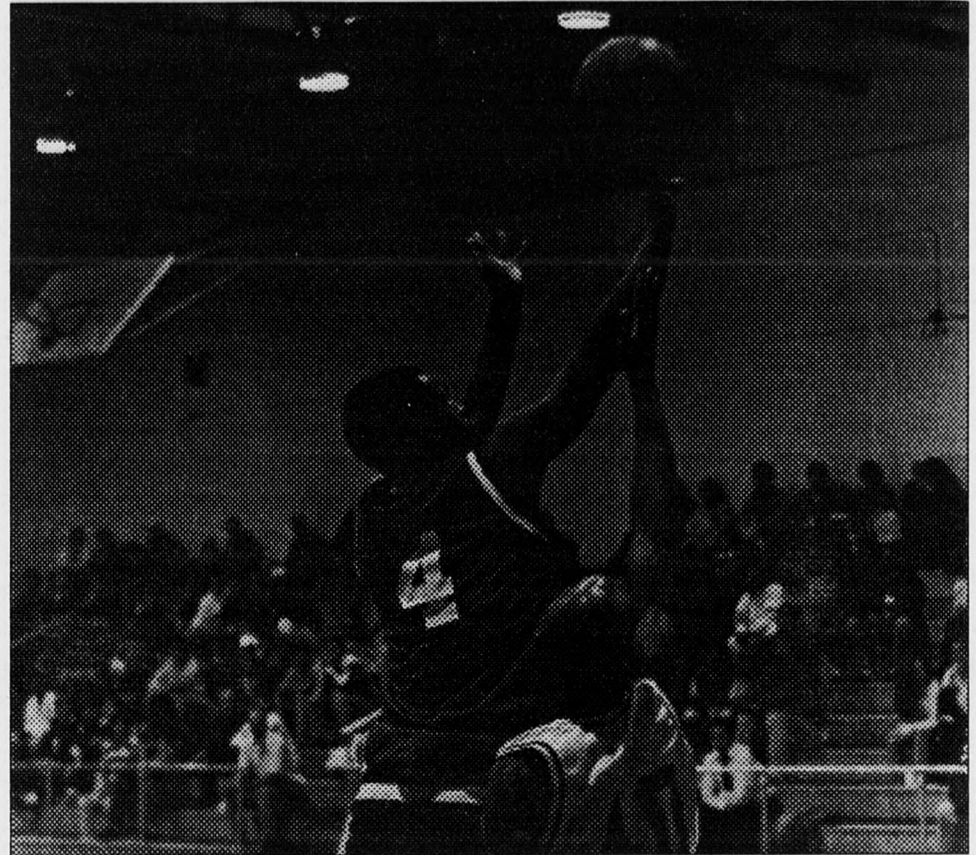
and Andrew Fleming to combine for 18 points during an insurmountable 27-8 Kean run for over six minutes (13:02 to 6:41) in the middle of the second half.

The point of noting these two runs is to signify that in order to return to their level of play of last year, the Red Hawks had best develop some consistency on both the offensive and defensive ends of the court.

"The mark of a good team is to be consistent," said assistant coach Jose Rebimbas, who played on a few very good teams at Seton Hall, including one that came within two Rumeal Robinson free throws of a national championship. "We only played for about 25 minutes."

But since the game is 40 minutes long, that is where the Red Hawks have problems lie. Early in the game two starters, center Adam Misiejuk and guard Dean

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Greg Fowler getting up over a Trenton St. defender on Tuesday, but the Red Hawks could not get over second-half collapses (see story below for more details) against the Lions or Kean. They lost both of those contests, starting them at an unimpressive 0-2 mark.

Men's Hoops: Kean 78, MSU 76

KEAN (1-2, 1-1 NJAC)

PLAYER	MINS	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	O-TR	A	F	PTS
Carmichael	34	2	7	0	2	1	1	0-4	1	3	8
Hibbert	24	2	4	0	0	3	4	0-3	4	3	7
Kelly	28	2	7	0	1	1	2	2-7	2	2	5
Shattle	22	2	5	0	2	2	2	1-6	2	3	6
Shaw	25	4	7	0	0	4	6	2-3	6	4	12
Collazo	21	3	7	1	3	7	7	0-1	7	0	14
Fleming	17	3	6	0	1	2	5	3-6	5	0	8
Clyburn	29	9	14	0	0	3	3	3-10	3	2	21

MSU (0-2, 0-2 NJAC)

Reilly	28	2	7	1	4	2	2	1-2	6	6	7
Spinogatti	21	3	6	0	2	0	1	1-4	3	3	6
Fowler	34	5	15	1	4	4	5	4-10	2	2	15
Jackson	33	4	8	0	0	0	0	1-5	0	0	8
Misiejuk	10	3	6	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Ordino	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
Pettiford	23	6	11	5	7	4	4	0-1	1	1	21
Pipercic	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-3	0	0	0
Carlson	13	1	8	0	0	0	1	1-3	2	2	2
Smith	19	3	8	1	4	1	2	0-1	5	5	8
Geleski	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	3

End of First Half: MSU 39, Kean 34

FG %: Kean- 39.4 (28 of 71), MSU- 47.4 (27 of 57)

3PT %: Kean- 11.1 (1 of 9), MSU- 40.9 (9 of 22)

FT %: Kean- 76.7 (23 of 30), MSU- 73.3 (11 of 15)

Blocks: Kean 4 (Clyburn 3, Hibberts). MSU 4 (Pettiford 2, Fowler, Jackson)

Steals: Kean 10 (Hibbert 2, Kelly 2, Collazo 2, Clyburn 2, Carmichael, Shaw). MSU 10 (Fowler 3, Reilly 2, Spinogatti 2, Jackson 2, Misiejuk).

Turnovers: Kean 25, MSU 18.

Technical Fouls: Kean 1 (Carmichael, 14:49 second half).

Attendance: 297

Misiejuk marvelous in women's hoops win

by Glenn Steinberg

Victory came for the Red Hawks in their second attempt of the season, a 57-50 win over Kean on Saturday afternoon at Panzer Gym.

In their first win of the season, center Maggie Misiejuk broke teammate Kim Kovar's previous record of eight blocked shots in a single game with nine of her own on Saturday. The 6-foot-4 freshman from Poland also led the team with 12 points and pulled down 16 rebounds.

According to head coach Gloria Bradley, Misiejuk still has not adjusted to the American style of play.

"She is the typical European player—not extremely aggressive, but she is getting better. She's not used to playing smaller players than her, ones who may also be quicker than she is. After a few games under her belt, she'll make the adjustment."

With 1:21 left in the first half, the Lady Red Hawks began to pull away after struggling for a bit, gaining a 23-16 lead, eventually going into the half with a 24-18 lead. Guards Heidi Klingert and Aidill Borrero led the team in scoring in the first half with seven points each. As a team, the Lady Red Hawks shooting 21% (8-of-38) from the field, went 0-for-3 from beyond the perimeter and shot only 50% (8-of-16) from the free throw line in the first half. They also turned the ball over 12 times in the opening half.

But in the opening minutes of the second half, the Lady Red Hawks dominated the Cougars, outscoring them in the first seven minutes by going on a 13-2 run. This run gave them a 37-20 lead, their biggest of the day. Bradley said the reason for the scoring outburst was because they were able to get easy baskets. She put guards Heidi Klingert and Lisa Villalta in the game and they got a few steals, which the team was able to convert into quick baskets.

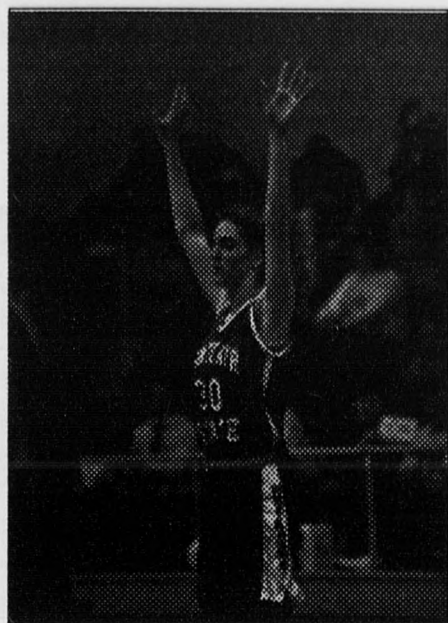
"It's a backbreaker," said Bradley, referring to the baskets generated from the steals. "The team that does this is most likely to win." Villalta led the team with six steals and Klingert and guard Tara Perez had four steals each.

During the second half, guard Jill Schultz emerged and scored seven points (11 total) while making 5-of-6 free throws. She also ended up with five boards and two steals. Bradley has praised her heart and her hustle, saying she hustles even more than the starters.

"She is small, but she can play any position but the five position (center)," said Bradley.

"She can do everything on the floor you could ever imagine," added Bradley. "If everyone on a team could play like her, you would have an undefeated season."

Throughout the rest of the game the Cougars never came close to taking the



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Kim Kovar and her teammates were sure of themselves on Saturday, riding a second-half run to a 57-50 win over Kean.

lead back. For the majority of the second half they were down by twelve or more points. Kean did not even cut the lead to under 10 points until there were less than two minutes to go in the game when the lead was cut to 52-43. In the remaining two minutes of the game, the Lady Red Hawks scored their remaining five points on free throws with Schultz scoring the last point of the day for MSU, giving them their seven point victory.

Bradley feels the key to this victory was taking more shots from the field and also getting more foul shots.

"Statistically, we should have lost, but we had more shots," said Bradley.

In the game, the Lady Red Hawks only shot 25% from the field and went 0-for-7 from three-point range while the Cougars shot 32% from the field and shot 60% (3-of-5) on their three-point shots. MSU was also out rebounded by the shorter Kean team, 57-50.

MSU did have an edge over Kean in steals (21-10), blocks (12-6), free throws (61%-57%) and most importantly, the final score. But if you ask Bradley, her team is a long way from playing well.

"We're trying to mesh as a team," said Bradley. "We did not shoot or rebound well." She said the reason they were able to win against Kean and not Trenton State was because they went inside more and used their height advantage against the Cougars and not against Trenton State.

She thinks the area in which the team needs most improvement, in order to be successful, is their concentration.

"Everything must fall into place," Bradley said. For the Lady Red Hawks to be successful, that will have to be the case.

RED HAWK NOTES: The results of last night's NJAC contest at Ramapo College were unavailable at press time.

This Friday and Saturday, the Lady Red Hawks host their own tournament, the 16th Annual Dial Classic, at Panzer Gym beginning Friday night at 6 p.m.

Bradley optimistic on new players and old

by Glenn Steinberg

With the end of the football season brings along the beginning of the basketball season. In only her second year of coaching, MSU women's basketball head coach Gloria Bradley has the task of trying to get her team into the post-season.

As each new season begins, the team must deal with players that they have lost from the year before and concentrate on the returning and new faces that will make up the current team.

The only key loss that the Lady Red Hawks have from last year is Judy Stair who is returning this year as an assistant coach. Last year, Stair scored almost 20 points per game and was named ECAC Metro NY/NJ Tournament MVP as MSU won the ECAC title.

Key returners for Bradley this year include center Kim Kovar (holder of the school record for most blocked shots in a season with 81), point guard Lisa Villalta (9.9 points per game last season), shooting guard Heidi Klingert (NJAC All-Rookie Team).

The new faces on this team that Bradley expects to be big contributors are center Malgorzata Misiejuk who the coach expects her to score inside and be an immediate impact because of her height and experience, Jill Schultz who Bradley said can do everything on the floor one could ever imagine and also has a lot of heart and drive, and Aidill Borrero who

Bradley said is very quick and runs the floor well. She is also expected to pull down a lot of rebounds and make a major impact, especially while starting at the point guard position while junior Lisa Villalta recovers from her knee injury.

Villalta, who had surgery on her knee during the off season, is not able to start right now. But she will see action during the games. She currently holds the school record for most steals in a single season with 140.

According to Bradley, her expectations for the team are to win the conference and earn the automatic NCAA bid.

"Our goal is to win, we're just off to a slow start," said Bradley, who added that the team is very talented and they just have to mesh together and get more experience as a team.

With the acquisition of Misiejuk at center, the Lady Red Hawks have some extra height on the team that will be useful this season. Misiejuk, a 6-foot-4 native of Poland, will be coupled with Kovar and Rene Stevens who are each six-foot, making this Lady Red Hawk team one of the tallest in recent years. This may also be one of the reasons that Bradley showed displeasure with her team after Saturday's performance prompting her to say that the team is "far from playing well." During the game, the Lady Red Hawks were outrebounded by the Cougars 57-50.

Women's Hoops: MSU 57, Kean 50

KEAN (0-2, 0-2 NJAC)

PLAYER	MINS	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	O-TR	A	F	PTS
Belluscio	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	1-1	0	0	0
Hoogmoed	33	5	12	0	0	4	4	0-5	6	4	14
Singleton	19	0	2	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	4	0
Kenny	35	1	4	0	0	0	0	0-4	1	6	2
Hardware	21	1	3	0	0	1	3	2-7	0	3	3
Bilal	22	1	5	0	0	7	11	2-8	2	4	9
Johnson	23	2	6	0	0	1	4	4-12	0	3	5
Daroff	9	0	3	0	0	0	0	0-2	0	1	0
McKenzie	16	4	7	3	4	0	1	1-3	1	2	11
Brown	16	3	10	0	1	0	0	1-4	2	5	6

MSU (1-1, 1-1 NJAC)

Borrero	18	2	7	0	2	4	7	0-4	0	4	8
Klingert	33	2	10	0	0	6	10	2-7	9	6	10
Perez	27	1	9	0	2	1	4	0-2	1	3	3
Kovar	20	0	1	0	0	2	2	1-5	1	3	2
Misiejuk	31	5	11	0	0	2	3	6-16	0	5	12
Nogueira	17	0	8	0	0	1	2	1-2	0	1	1
Owens	13	1	3	0	0	2	2	0-0	0	0	4
Schultz	22	3	7	0	0	5	6	3-5	0	3	11
Villalta	19	2	9	0	3	2	5	4-4	0	1	6

End of First Half: MSU 24, Kean 18

FG %: Kean- 32.1 (17 of 53), MSU- 24.6 (16 of 65)

3PT %: Kean- 60.0 (3 of 5), MSU- 0 (0 of 7)

FT %: Kean- 56.5 (13 of 23), MSU- 61.0 (25 of 41)

Blocks: Kean 6 (Bilal 2, Hoomgoed, Singleton, Daroff, Brown). MSU 12 (Misiejuk 9, Perez, Kovar, Owens).

Steals: Kean 10 (Hoomgoed 3, Hardware 2, Singleton, Bilal, Johnson, Daroff, Brown). MSU 21 (Villalta 6, Klingert 4, Perez 4, Schultz 2, Borrero, Kovar, Misiejuk, Nogueira, Owens).

Turnovers: Kean 40, MSU 25. Fouls: Kean 32, MSU 26. Attendance: 225

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Unfortunately for them it was not enough. Conversely, Webber said their plan was to go inside the whole game. He wanted to set up shop with guys such as Clyburn and Hibberts so they could kick the ball outside more to guys such as Carmichael, Jamar Shaw (12 points, 11 in the first half) and Juan Collazo (14 points). MSU interim coach Jose Rebimbas chose to credit his counterpart with good strategy rather than condemning the way his own team played.

"I think they did a very nice job of running their offense," said Rebimbas, who coached his third game in the absence of Del Tufo. "We wanted to front the post and have them lob it over the top. They did a very nice job of executing the lobs and with isolation (of their big guys)."

Luckily for MSU, it was able to get back into the game. Pettiford, a product of national high school powerhouse St. Anthony's of Jersey City, caught fire. The 6-3 junior hit four three-pointers in the final 5:08 of the game, enabling the Red Hawks to go on an 18-5 run that left them just short of victory.

"Travis is very much an offensive threat," said Rebimbas. "He's very streaky. There are days in practice where he doesn't miss and we're not surprised."

"We weren't getting his hand in his face all the way, only halfway," said Webber, who is now 6-4 while coaching the Cougars in Gatley's absence, of why

Pettiford got so hot.

But it was the second trey of the seven that Pettiford took that he missed which has him and his teammates still searching for their first win.

"We tried to get Greg (Fowler) the ball (originally), said Rebimbas, "but they did a very nice job of overplaying him."

"So Travis, as he was doing in the last six minutes of the game, just stepped up and took his shot. We told him to go ahead, if he had a good shot, take it. If he had an open three to take it. I didn't think they could cover him."

But Kean was able to force him into an off-balance shot. Then Fowler was unable to convert on the tip-in. Unfortunately for MSU, sometimes that is just the way the ball bounced on Saturday night.

RED HAWK NOTES: The results of last night's NJAC contest versus the Ramapo College Roadrunners were not available at press time.

In their opener, the Red Hawks shot a mere 35.3 percent from the field in losing 71-65 to Trenton State. Greg Fowler, the Red Hawks leading scorer, paced them with 28 points, while Spinogatti was the only other MSU player in double-figures with 11 points.

What did in the Red Hawks was another second half lapse. Trailing 33-26 at intermission, they allowed the Lions to go on a 16-0 run to kill any chance MSU had of winning. A late 14-1 run helped to make it competitive, but it was not enough.

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Spinogatti, and reserve forward Evan Carlson had three fouls apiece. Besides that, they had trouble putting together consistent extended runs.

After losing last year's starting point guard Keith Roberts (13.3 points, 5.7 assists per game), who is academically ineligible, MSU has not found his replacement. Chris Smith started the opener, but Rebimbas gave freshman B.J. Reilly the start on Saturday. Though he had six assists in 28 minutes, Reilly only scored seven points (2 of 7 from the field). Not exactly Roberts-type numbers.

"B.J. had a tough go of it offensively," said Rebimbas, who coached the team because head coach Nick Del Tufo had bronchitis.

Despite the rough start, the Red Hawks are still confident in themselves. They are aware that two game certainly does not a season make.

"No," senior guard Chris Smith said when asked if two losses to open the season has his team down on themselves. "Nobody is going to go undefeated, especially in this league. Teams have come back from this in the past from losing their first one or two games. We just have to look at it like that."

"I don't think it hurts us that much,"

said Rebimbas. "We're doing a lot of positive things. We're still very hopeful of going to the NJAC's and the NCAA's."

That may give the Red Hawks enough time to develop some consistency.

RED HAWK NOTES: One thing about the American version of the game of basketball: it is much more physical than it's European counterpart. Misiejuk, a native of Poland who barely speaks English, could only reply about Saturday's game by saying, "I don't know (what happened). That is the game."

Talk about a shooting slump: Carlson, a senior forward, has missed 12 of his 13 shots so far.

Rebimbas, who received 34 of his team's 76 points from his bench, is very high on the play of his non-starters. With 16:07 remaining in the first half, he used a wave of substitutions, replacing four of his starters.

"We were trying to get some help from the bench," said the fourth-year assistant coach. "We think we have a very deep bench, so we wanted to see who was ready to play and who wasn't."

Yes, MSU is playing Rider, a Division I team which played in the NCAA Tournament last year, tonight. The last time the Red Hawks played a Division I team was Fairleigh Dickinson, a 79-38 loss in 1992 in a "Throw Back the Clock" game.

Point/Counterpoint



Asst. Managing Editor Tom Tracy



Sports Editor Brian Falzarano

Who should win the Heisman Trophy?

Tom: If I were able to cast a vote for who would win the Heisman Trophy, my vote would go to Rashaan Salaam of Colorado.

He has had an incredible season for a top nationally-ranked school with one of the toughest schedules in the country. With over 2,000 yards rushing and 24 touchdowns scored, he is clearly the cream of the Heisman crop.

Many people say Steve McNair of Alcorn State should get the trophy. But in my opinion, he is a man playing amongst boys and was never truly tested. His numbers are impressive (5,413 yards and 47 touchdowns passing), but one has to wonder how he would have fared playing against a schedule of top teams like Salaam had to.

The Heisman Trophy does not necessarily go to the most valuable player of a team, but to the best all-around player, whom Salaam is.

Brian: There is too much emphasis placed on statistics in my opinion. Sometimes I believe that I could run for 200 yards or pass for 500 yards against some of the teams prominent players get to show off in front of.

The Heisman Trophy should be for the most valuable athlete in all of college football. There is no doubt that Rashaan Salaam, the Colorado running back who ran for over 2,000 yards, will win the award. I admit that it is tough to deny him the award. After all, everyone who has run for that many yards has won the award.

Since I believe the award should be based on value as well as statistics, Jay Barker is my choice. He doesn't get mentioned with Kerry Collins and Steve McNair. Fine. But Barker, a poor man's Phil Simms, has been excellent in Alabama's 11-0 year. Unlike many others probably will, I cannot deny him the Heisman.

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On the Ball

by Brian Falzarano



Recalling a memorable first time for all involved

As the bus turned in downtown Manhattan after MSU lost in the first round of the NCAA Division III tournament, a surprise occurred. But it would only be considered a surprise to some.

The team bus, riding past Tavern on the Green, brought forth laughter and talking out of the Red Hawks. Jerry Citro, the senior statesman for this group of young men, told his teammates, many of whom he is at least 20 years older than (he is 42), about how when he was a senior in high school, Citro recalled how he and his friends used to cut classes to go over to New York and drive around.

At that point Mike Scala, then the graduate assistant to Sports Information Director, started busting Citro's chops.

"Gee, Jerry," said Scala, with sarcasm. "People actually drove around back then?"

Many of the people on the bus, myself included, started laughing. And there was no reason to be sad. While they may

have lost, they did not get blown out by a pretty good Hunter (N.Y.) College squad, one that was ranked third in one Division III poll. What happened was that they got off to a nice start, only to have that negated by the Manhattan school. Down the stretch, Hunter hit their free throws, allowing the Red Hawks to come no closer than three in the second half. Therefore, they were unable to overcome the Hawks, dropping a close 79-74 decision on March 3.

"I told our kids it was going to come down to a foul shooting contest," MSU coach Nick Del Tufo said.

A part of the trip that was symbolic of MSU's inexperience was the building they played in, a strange piece of architecture known as the Hunter Sportsplex. Unlike any other gym, this one was three stories below ground. Walking in was odd, too, as when you looked into the gym after going down a flight of steps, the only way you could see into the gym was through round pieces of glass that were reminiscent of a

ship with portholes.

Even the court was strange. It was a weird surface, almost like a rubber. Walking across was much softer than cavorting across the hardwood surface of many gyms.

Hunter came on to the court, the sound of Snoop Doggy Dogg blared throughout its gym. As the beat began pumping throughout, the Hawks began to stretch out and dance, some even choosing to lip sync to the rap music.

MSU, on the other hand came out with little fanfare and with no charades. This being the first time that many of these players had ever played in a post-season contest of this magnitude, they were soaking it in, looking to get rid of the butterflies before they began to play.

They did hang tough, though. There was many a time that it looked as if the Red Hawks, seeded fifth in the East Region, could pull off the win over the fourth-seeded Hawks.

But they didn't. Instead of being cheerful about a victory and a chance to avenge three earlier losses to top-seed Rowan (whom they would have played if they won), they had to answer questions before a few reporters. The look on the face of Keith Hines, a senior power forward who was the heart of that team, was a combination of exhaustion, depression and helplessness. Clearly tired when he spoke, he was obviously upset about his team's loss and that this was the end of his career. His mood was characteristic of the Red Hawk trio in the media room (Del

Tufo, point guard Keith Roberts being the other two), somber and bitter at the taste of defeat.

But the bus ride home changed the feelings of almost everybody who was along for the ride. Maybe they realized it was only a game. For there would be next year, which is upon us already.

PARTING SHOTS

Virtual Reality: All week long we're going to say how important our game this weekend is going to be. We'll go out and play well for over three quarters before we completely self-destruct.

Just in case you were one of those people who tried to buy a clue for a penny and were expecting change, of course I am talking about your beloved JETS.

A memo for all GIANT fans: You have to play the Browns and Eagles on the road, and the Cowboys on Christmas Eve. Don't, under any circumstances, even think about a playoff spot. OK?

How about JEFFERY DAHMER? I'd usually have sympathy for anyone who has passed on, but I would be really be hard-pressed to say the same about someone who used to delight in butchering humans and putting them in his freezer.

Man, even I have to admit the HOUSTON OILERS are bad.

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Fearless Forecasts

TOM TRACY, MANAGING EDITOR (1-3)

San Diego -4 over Raiders. Silver and black is black and blue
Giants +9 over Browns. Giants are still playoff bound!!! I hope.
Green Bay -2 1/2 over Detroit. Packers will triumph.
Philadelphia -5 over Dallas. Eagles want to get back on track.
Atlanta +13 over San Francisco. Falcons will light up "Prime Time."

GREG MACSWEENEY, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF (21-23):

Dallas -5 over Philadelphia. Enjoy the wins now, boys. San Fran is on the way.
San Fran -13 over Atlanta. Young, Rice, Taylor, Waters...I could go all day.
San Diego -4 over Raiders. Raiders let me down.
K.C. -4 over Denver. If K.C. loses, this will be the last time I support Joe.

GLENN STEINBERG, ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR (18-26):

Dallas -5 over Philadelphia. Cowboys will shoot the Eagles down.
San Diego -4 over Raiders. Chargers will run all over Raiders crappy "D".
Giants +9 over Browns. Giants are on another winning streak.
Pittsburgh -6 over Cincinnati. Steelers "D" is too strong.

CHRIS HINCK, MANAGING EDITOR (27-17):

Jets +2 1/2 over New England. Patriots and Parcells both suck.
Dallas -5 over Philadelphia. C'mon, these are my 'boys we're talking about.
Kansas City -4 over Denver. Battle of quarterbacks. Joe will come out on top.
Atlanta +13 over San Fran. Jeff George and Falcons are too hot right now.

THE PROPHET (19-25):

Dallas -5 over Philadelphia. Dallas and 49'ers unless Seattle wins wild card.
Browns -9 over Giants. Let's face it, the Red Hawks could beat the Giants.
Seattle -1 over Colts. Seahawks poised for victory. Remember Kansas City!
New Orleans +3 over Rams. Comeback after San Francisco.

Red Hawks Sports Week

Men's Basketball:

Tonight, Dec. 1.	MSU at Rider College	7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 3.	MSU at Richard Stockton	2 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 7.	Jersey City St. at MSU	8 p.m.

Men's and Women's Swimming:

Wednesday, Dec. 7	MSU at Kutztown	6 p.m.
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Women's Basketball:

Friday, Dec. 2.	MSU hosting the 16th Annual Dial Classic with Emmanuel, Penn St. Behrend and Gallaudet	6/8 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 3	Dial Classic consolation game	2 p.m.
	championship game	4 p.m.

Wrestling:

Friday, Dec. 2.	MSU at Coast Guard Academy	TBA
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NOTE: All home games for men's and women's basketball will be played at Panzer Gym, which will be denoted by an asterisk (*) next to the game. All swimming home meets are at the Red Hawk Pool, which will be indicated by a plus sign (+). However, wrestling does not have any scheduled home matches.

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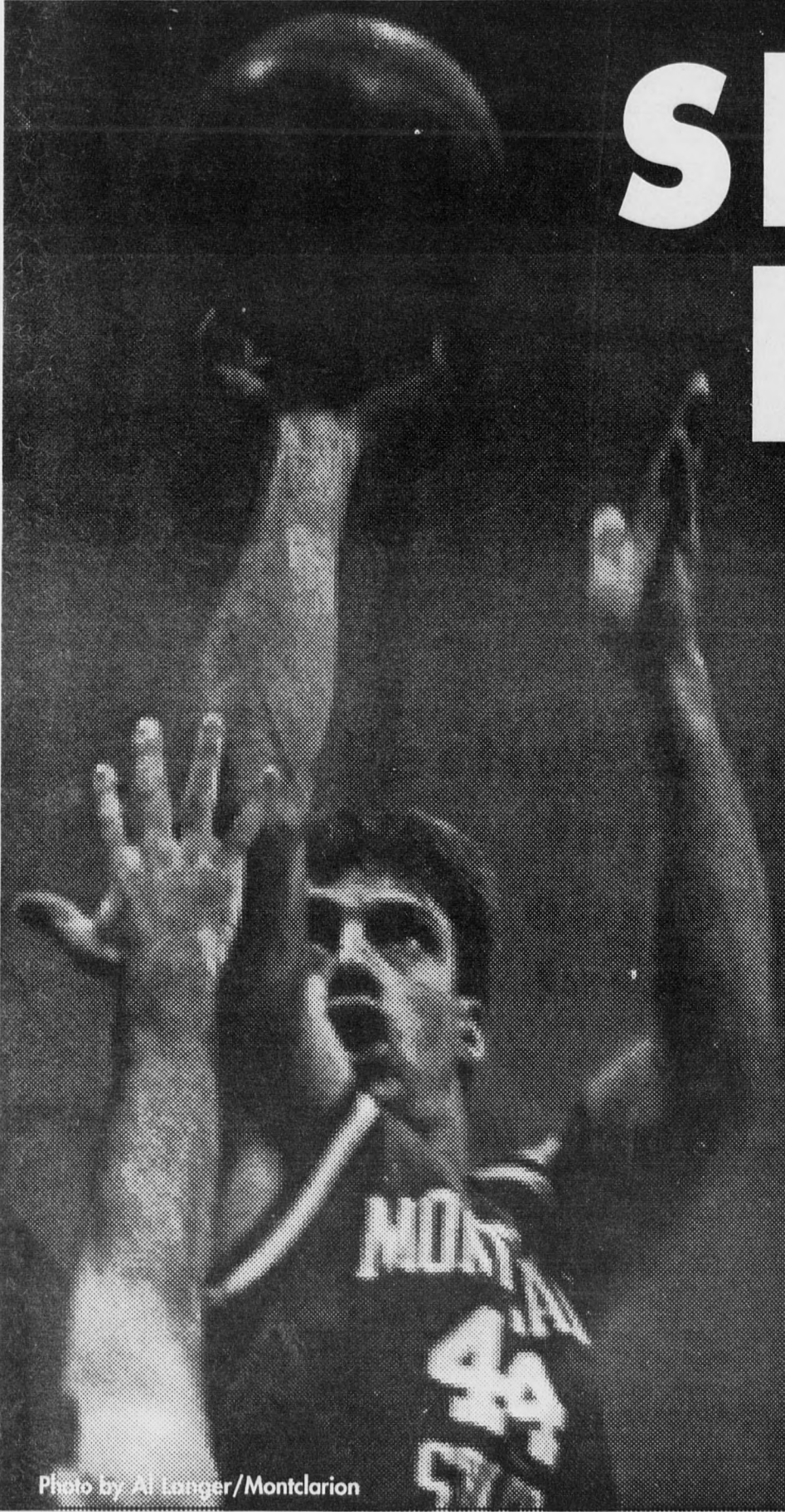
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Shooting blanks



Second-half shooting slumps instrumental in sending men's basketball to an 0-2 record. Despite late comeback runs, they disprove the adage "Better late than never." (Falzarano; p. 36)

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